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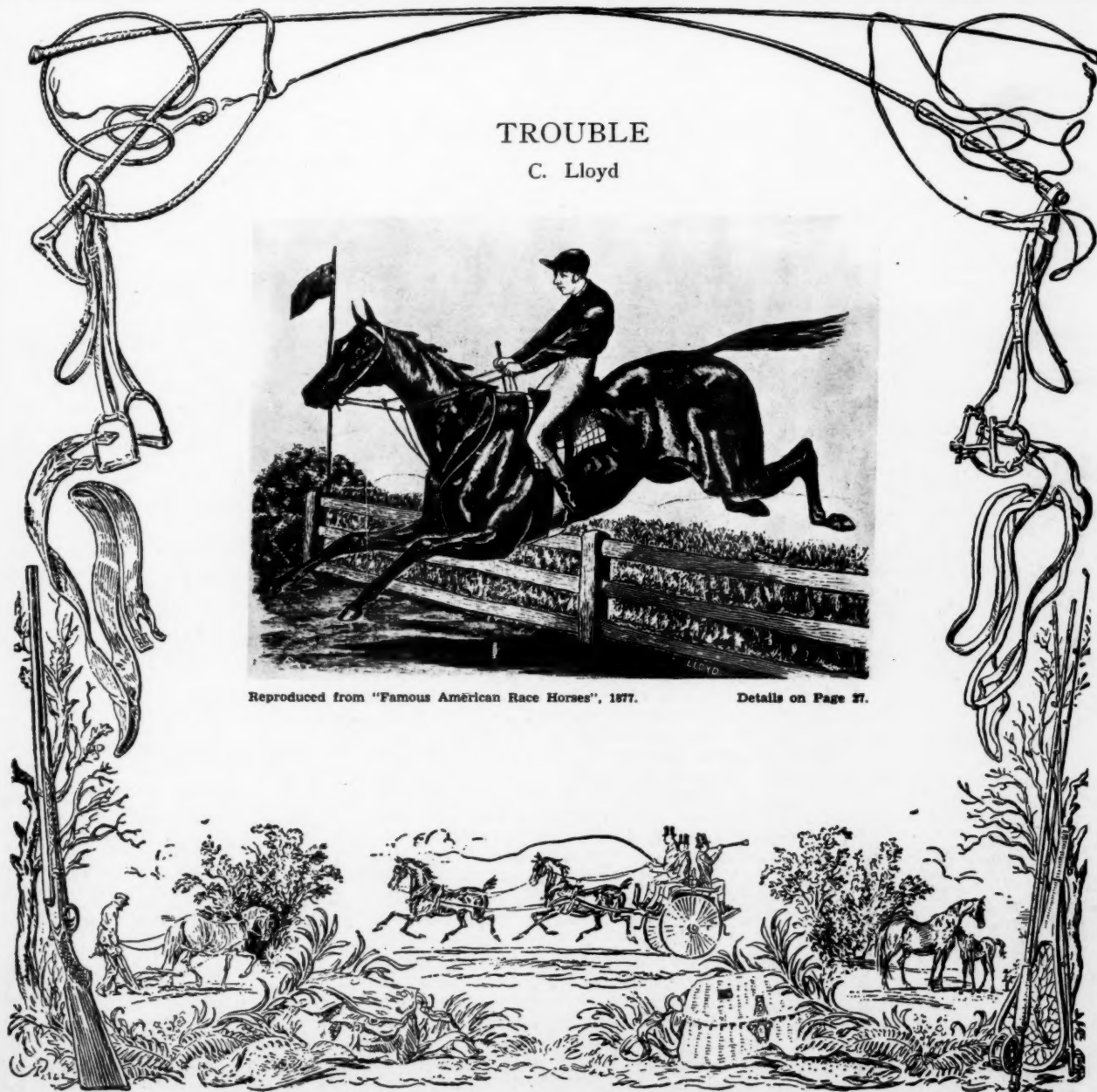
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## HUNTSMEN FOR THE FUTURE

Of the many qualities which combine to make a successful huntsman, three are both essential and basic. He must know how to breed a pack of hounds. He must know how to enter and hunt that pack. And, above all, he must have that knowledge of woodcraft without which the first two are relatively useless.

Of course the Master is responsible for the breeding of the pack which hunts his country. Unless he hunts hounds himself, however, he must rely on his huntsman's observation and judgement as well as his own. The most complete knowledge of the working qualities of hounds, upon which every breeding program should rest, must necessarily be found in the man who hunts them. It follows that a huntsman, if he is to succeed, must also have a flair for the breeding of hounds.

A good huntsman must know not only how to hunt a pack of hounds, but also how to rear and train his young entry in kennels, on the road and in the field. Good entered hounds are almost never for sale. To keep a pack up to strength a thorough training program is also essential.

To find a man who is thoroughly competent in both these respects is difficult enough. But to find a man who can add to them a real knowledge of woodcraft is very rare indeed. It is only the combination of the three which enables a huntsman to reach the top of his profession.

A great huntsman must have constantly in his mind such things as temperature, wind, sun, and ground conditions. He must think like a fox, must understand where a fox is apt to lie or to travel, whether in the sun on a cold, cloudless day, in the shade after a sudden rise in temperature, under a pine tree on bare warm ground when most of the country is covered with snow, in a hollow log or inside a shock of corn when the thermometer drops and the wind rises. Once a fox is afoot he must determine the point for which it is making and the most likely route for it to travel; he must watch for crows, sheep and cattle whose behavior might betray that route; and he must keep a sharp look-out for things which might force the fox to alter it, such as cur dogs, gunners and well-meaning car followers. The way his hounds work the line and the quality of their cry should tell him about scenting conditions, whether breast-high, holding or poor and whether the quarry is a red or a grey. All the above factors must be

kept in mind when hounds check and it becomes necessary to decide promptly whether to go to their help, to leave them strictly alone, or to pick them up and take them on to a distant halloo or a cap waving on the skyline.

A great weakness of the foxhunting picture in this country is that not only are such men scarce, but that we have no organized system for teaching those who must eventually take their place. We have no apprenticeship, as in Britain, no progression from stable lad, to second horsemen, second and first whipper-in and finally to huntsman, first with a provincial pack and finally to the shires. We do not have a uniform system of hunting hounds nor a common hound language, such as there prevails. Most serious of all we often fail to arouse in our youngsters an interest in hounds and hound work.

Obviously it is just as important to raise huntsmen as it is to raise horses, hounds, Masters and members of the field. Interest in hounds and hound work, rather than in merely jumping fences, is the foundation; it is this interest which makes for that full cooperation between huntsman and followers, both horse and foot, which is so essential. There are many ways of arousing it,—with beagles, with walking puppies, with roading hounds, with cub hunting, with books, talks and movies, as well as with the sport of the regular season.

Without a thorough knowledge of hounds and hound work no one can properly be called a foxhunter. It is our primary responsibility to pass on that knowledge to those who will take over in the future.

## Letters . . . . .

### Chronicle Cover

Dear Sir:

I was so excited this morning when I opened my "Chronicle," to find my husband represented on the cover! I thought you had forgotten all about that picture—I looked for it for awhile but did not expect to see it. It could not have come at a nicer time as it was during our Horse Show. I have gotten over to the Show more this year but I have had to sit in the car at the parking space or in my box in my wheelchair.

Thank you very much indeed for doing me this great honor.

Yours most cordially,  
Rachel H. Ingalls  
(Mrs. Fay Ingalls)

Hot Springs, Virginia

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# BREEDING AND Racing

REVIEW OF THE WEEK

## Swaps Runs Disappointing Race At Washington Park Shoemaker Said: "He Just Couldn't take To The Grass"

Raleigh Burroughs

Ever since I can remember, there has been a quarrel between two factions of animal fanciers as to which is man's best friend, the horse or the dog.

Fifty years ago, there wasn't much argument; while a dog might bite his master's enemies, a horse could hasten a retreat from them, and there never was any assurance that the canine wouldn't be the all-around, good-fellow type who loves his enemies, and his master's foes as well.

The horse, in those times, performed many services that were more important to the economic scheme than bringing back a thrown stick or begging for a scrap of meat.

Later, though, the automobile took over the duties of the equine everywhere, except in Kurdistan where people drink mare's milk (and even General Motors hasn't been able to devise that kind of a crank case). Hedged in,

also, by apartment house restrictions regarding the keeping of large animals, the intimacy between the horse and the average citizen abated.

The dog moved in and, as more people had dog friends than horse friends, he polled a larger vote. (Miniature psittacine birds have horned into the picture lately, because they are supposed to be able to talk, though I haven't heard one say anything a Welmaraner couldn't.)

As I once owned a St. Bernard that could be aimed, pointed and "sicked" and an English bulldog that was self-slicking, I was pretty much on the dog's side for a long period of time.

I changed allegiance when a horse named Brodea—that probably didn't even know me—came down from Canada and satisfied a lien against a '33 Plymouth.

The nicest dog I ever knew never did anything like that for me.

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When a mare named Milcave bought me my first outboard motor, I knew definitely who my friends were.

Occasionally, the friendly servants of man are guilty of unfriendly acts. When track managements make their handicappers put too-light loads on horses, the horses show their gratitude by filling the managements with terror because of the minus pools that might result.

Of course, actual losses to the tracks through mutuels operations are rare; and when they do occur, the increased admissions, paid by the thousands who

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SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 8, 1956

- First Race, 3:15 p.m.—The Lewisville Flat Race, about seven furlongs on turf.
- Second Race, 3:45 p.m.—The Big Elk Flat Race, Starter Allowance, about one mile and one-sixteenth on turf.
- Third Race, 4:15 p.m.—The Trouble Maker Steeplechase, Timber, about three miles over Fair Hunting Country.
- Fourth Race, 4:45 p.m.—The Christiana Hurdle Race, about one mile and a half.
- Fifth Race, 5:15 p.m.—The Foxcatcher National Cup Steeplechase, about three miles over a Grand National Brush Course.
- Sixth Race, 5:45 p.m.—The Cowentown Hurdle Race Claiming, about one mile and six furlongs.
- Substitute Race—The Fair Hill Steeplechase, Starter Allowance, about two miles over Brush Course.

### MANLY STEEPLECHASE

SATURDAY, SEPTEMBER 15, 1956

- First Race, 3:15 p.m.—The Andora Flat Race, Handicap, about one mile and a sixteenth on turf.
- Second Race, 3:45 p.m.—The Little Egypt Flat Race, about seven furlongs on turf.
- Third Race, 4:15 p.m.—The Cecil County Steeplechase, Timber, about three miles over a Fair Hunting Country.
- Fourth Race, 4:45 p.m.—The Center Square Hurdle Race, about one mile and a half.
- Fifth Race, 5:15 p.m.—The Manly Steeplechase, Handicap, about two miles over little Brush Course.
- Sixth Race, 5:45 p.m.—The Battleship Hurdle Race, about one mile and six furlongs.
- Substitute Race—The Ruler Steeplechase, Starter Allowance, about two miles.

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Mr. and Mrs. Raymond R. Guest of "Powhatan" near Fredericksburg, Virginia. Mr. Guest, a former 8-goal polo player, was the visiting member of The Jockey Club at the recent Jamaica Meeting.



Mr. and Mrs. Gerard S. Smith—Mr. Smith, a former high goal polo player and an official of the American Horse Shows Association, is a member of The Jockey Club.



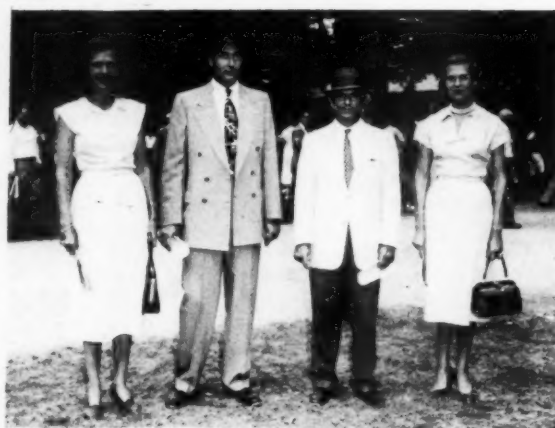
Mr. and Mrs. Samuel A. Peck are currently campaigning one of the better strings of race horses at Saratoga.



Mr. and Mrs. Boylston A. Tompkins, Jr.—Mr. Tompkins is the son of the president of the Administrative Division of the GNYA.



Mr. and Mrs. Frank C. Rand, Jr.—Their "Prince Morvi" has been one of the most successful horses to run on turf courses this year.



Left to right: Mrs. G. H. Bostwick, the former Dolly von Stade; William Haggin Perry, G. H. Bostwick, and Mrs. W. H. Perry, the former Kathryn von Stade—Mr. Bostwick trains a most successful stable of steeplechasers for his sister Mrs. Ogden Phipps. Mr. Perry's Alanesian won the 5½ furlong race at Saratoga on August 16th in one of the fastest times of the meeting. Mr. Bostwick is a high goal polo player while Mr. Perry was former chairman of the Hunter and Jumper Committee of the American Horse Shows Association.



## Racing Review

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wish to see the Big Boss, usually add up to an effective antidote.

Nevertheless, the very thought of such a catastrophe causes some operators to tremble, grow weak and cut off their place and/or show pools.

Other horses have caused great human suffering through actions that are decidedly inhumane. Two that come to mind in particular are the beaten favorite and the unbeatable horse that runs out of the money, and that brings us to Swaps and

### Washington Park

(Note that I made the changeover just as the late Mr. Ross Lockridge did in his amazing novel, "Raintree County." Please note that only the finest of literary devices are stolen for use in this department).

Coming off a string of record-breaking performances in the West, Swaps was reckoned a lien-lifting cinch at Washington Park in the Arch Ward Memorial Handicap on August 25. Chicago Turf patrons still remembered that Mister Gus, which Swaps had handled without much trouble on the Coast, set a world record in an Illinois gallop with no super horse to worry about.

It was expected that an interplanetary mark should fall when Mr. Big went into action. As a precautionary measure, in view of the big blow that seemed imminent, the management battered down the storm windows over the show-ticket-dispensing apertures.

As so often happens, the wind went

the other way. The only souls lost were those belonging to holders of straight and place tickets on Mr. Rex Ellsworth's mighty champ.

The turf course, it was said, was not to his liking, but that doesn't give a horse any excuse for going around hurting trusting plungers.

Hasty House Farm's imported Mahan was the winner of the 1 3/16 miles test. Sir Tribal was second, half a length back, Prince Morvi was third, and Bryn, stablemate of the winner fourth.

Sir Tribal raced with Howdy Baby during the early furlongs, with Swaps pressing the two. He couldn't run past them. Going around the last turn, it became evident that there was something lacking in his "lick."

Mahan charged past and dueled with Sir Tribal for the main money, prevailing in the end.

Swaps dropped back and beat only one horse.

"We had clear sailing all the way," said Jockey Willie Shoemaker, "He just couldn't take to the grass. It was too soft for him. He labored all the way up the backstretch."

Mahan, a five-year-old chestnut horse by Avenger II—Sans Taras, by Sind was ridden by Johnny Adams. He earned \$31,900 for Mr. and Mrs. Allie Reuben in winning the Arch Ward. His total American earnings amount to \$57,425. Racing in France, he collected over 12,000,000 francs before being purchased by the Reubens. Mahan was bred in England.

Harry Trotsek trains for Hasty House.

Swaps carried 130 pounds to Mahan's 114. The race was run in 1:55 flat.

Rex Ellsworth's California Kid breezed to an easy win in the Prairie State Stakes at Washington Park, on August 22. The son of \*Khaled—Heather Time, by Time Maker, covered the six furlongs in 1:10 4/5 and won by five lengths.

P. A. B. Widener's Tranquill was second and Fred W. Hooper's previously unbeaten Greek Game, third.

Lucky Mel finished fourth. Shoemaker rode the winner which paid \$12.60 to \$2 investors. Mr. Ellsworth picked up \$10,850.

Meshach Tenney trains California Kid.

### Saratoga

After registering with ease in the Whitney Handicap a week earlier, Mrs. Jan Burke's Dedicate was considered to be an even money chance in the Saratoga Handicap on August 25. He ran a grand race but he couldn't quite give 14 pounds to the lightly-weighted Paper Tiger, which gained the decision by a head.

Find was third, seven lengths back and Fisherman was 2 1/2 farther astern in fourth place.

Find and Portersville competed for the early lead, with Dedicate in third place.

Going down the backstretch, Dedicate ranged up and got to the top bending for home. Nearing the eighth pole, Find was pinched off, and Conn McCreary drove Paper Tiger through on the inside. The son of Stymie (from Ally Bal, by \*Challenger II) continued on to win by his narrow margin.

A five-year-old entire horse, Paper Tiger paid \$16.70 in the mutuels and

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A Young Peter colt, bay, out of Giddy Lady, by Count Fleet, out of Five to One, by \*Sir Gallahad III.

A Bless Me filly, dark bay, out of Shake It Up, by Snark, out of Five to One, by \*Sir Gallahad III.

A Young Peter filly, bay, out of Roguish, by Discovery, out of Shining Eyes, by High Strung.

A Young Peter colt, gray, out of Fond Friend, by Belfond, out of Associate, by Spanish Prince.

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# Saratoga Steeplechasing

## Brookmeade Stables Bavaria Wins The Beverwyck Steeplechase By Nine Lengths

John E. Cooper

Returning to the form which pointed him out as a promising stakes campaigner in 1955, Brookmeade Stable's Bavaria romped home to a nine length victory in the Beverwyck Steeplechase on Thursday, August 16th. His stoutest competition in the last half of the journey came from Newtondale Stable's Carthage, who got to the finish line second, about two lengths in front of Ancestor and another two to the good of Sundowner.

Immediately after the break in the Beverwyck it was quite apparent that no one wanted the lead, perhaps because of the presence of the erratic Sundowner in the field. Although Earl Phelps in the saddle was trying to rate his mount, Sundowner had other ideas, and he "covered a lot of ground", swerving at his fences, and on the far side both times, going to the extreme outside of the course. For about a turn of the course, the entire field was under wraps, with Morpheus Ancestor and Bavaria colsest to the pace. At the fourth fence, Morpheus fell giving his rider Jimmy Walker a bad fall. Down the far side the first time, Carthage, Basilia and the top weighted Ring o'Roses followed the leaders in that order, and all displaying good jumping form.

Coming into the front side the second time, Sundowner still enjoyed a lead of two or three lengths, but his erratic course at his fences resulted in a grudgingly given bit of caution by the riders of the remainder of the field. Morpheus running loose through the front stretch added to the dangerous possibilities. Harry Hatcher on Bavaria had moved into second place at this point, closely attended by Ancestor, with Carthage a few lengths off followed by Basilia and Ring o'Roses. With little change in position, the field rounded into the back stretch the last time, and as Sundowner ran to the outside, Hatcher took Bavaria to the front, and then opened up a daylight lead. Carthage and Ancestor ranged up even with Sundowner, and these three made a game effort to catch Bavaria, but the Brookmeade horse continued to increase his lead around the far turn. Phelps went to the whip on Sundowner at this point, and the horse went well until rounding into the homestretch, while Carthage, with Jimmy Murphy in the saddle, drew out from Ancestor, but was no match for the winner from the last jump to the wire. Ancestor, under 155 lbs., second top weight of the race, was making his first start since July of 1955, and may well have needed this race. In the run home on the flat Sundowner flattened out, but he too may have needed this race, it being the first time he has been to the races in several years, except for his ill fated effort in the Indian River at Delaware Park where he unseated his rider early in the race.

Ring o'Roses, under 157 lbs., ran a

dull race, and appeared to have bled slightly in the running.

Bavaria was making his second start of 1956, and carried his 146 lb. assignment over the two mile distance in 4:11 1/5, a little more than 3 full seconds off the course record. In his previous start this year, he ran fourth, and was injured in the race. However, his 1955 form was good, and surprisingly enough in the Beverwyck, he was the outsider in the betting, paying a liberal \$29.50.

The third edition of the National Maiden Hurdle stake on the following day, was probably the best in the history of this three-ply event. It drew a field of eight, seven of them winners of one or more races, and one maiden Ideal View, which had raced well in his two previous starts. The Sidney Watters entry of Richard K. Mellon's Chamborg, winner of his last five starts and W. M. Jeffords' Policeman Day, winner of the two earlier editions of this stake, were heavily favored in the betting at a little less than even money, and for almost all the race, appeared to be just that good. Early in the race, Chamborg with Paddy Smithwick up, went to the front, and while fencing well, opened up a lead that at times was about ten lengths. Rose Fete, Nassau Derby, Policeman Day and Tarboots, varied the lead of the second division for most of the trip, but as Chamborg rounded the final turn into the stretch, he still had a lead of about three or four lengths, had not been pressed at any time, and appeared an almost certain winner. Skimming close to the hedge on the turn, Paddy was saving every inch of ground, and he approached the next to the last hurdle

on the extreme inside, all by himself. Then the unexpected happened. Just about when he would set himself for the jump, Chamborg took an extra stride and veered to the inside and right through the wing. Had a bomb exploded under the wing, no greater damage could have been done. It was hard to distinguish between the flying legs, arms and splintered sections of the wing. Fortunately both horse and rider got up, little worse for the fall, but in the meantime victory went flying by and in a driving finish, Evan Jackson took John M. Schiff's Tarboots under the wire with a two length advantage over Sanmord Stud Farm's Ideal View. Five and a half lengths back, W. C. MacMillen's Nassau Derby, a stablemate of the winner, captured the show position, two lengths to the good of Dromond, with Rose Fete, a fading fifth. Policeman Day, under topweight of 161 lbs., by virtue of his previous wins, finished a distant sixth. Affable completed the field.

Tarboots is a three-year-old gelding by Black Tarquin, out of Vamp, and was bred by his owner. One of the best looking individuals now in training for infield racing, Tarboots has been to the post four times this year. He has won two, and placed to Policeman Day in an overnight race, and also placed to Affable in The Promise Stakes at this meeting. The National Maiden was worth \$8,175 to the winner, and it was worth noting that it was won by a three-year-old, in a year when emphasis has been placed on three-year-olds over hurdles.

Earlier in the week, a disqualification in an allowance steeplechase caused some comment. Brookmeade Stable's Flaming Comet finished first by a length over Glencannon. Both horses are a little difficult to ride, and don't always run a straight course. In any event, Mert Hoey on Glencannon claimed interference against Harry Hatcher on Flaming Comet.

After reviewing the film, the Stewards allowed the claim and placed Flaming Comet second and moved Allison Stern's Glencannon up into the

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Affable, with F. D. Adams up, shown winning The Promise, hurdle stake for 3-year-olds at Saratoga. The brown gelding, by \*Ambiorix—Graciously, by \*Sir Gallahad III, is owned by Mrs. Ogden Phipps. In the rear, J. H. Schiff's Tarboots (No. 5).

# News from the STUDS



## —NEW YORK—

### 1957 Stallion Services Realize \$63,000 In Aid of The National Museum of Racing Saratoga

Prior to the sales of yearlings at Saratoga Springs, services for the 1957 season were put on the block each night for the benefit of the National Museum of Racing. On the night of August 14th C. T. Chenery donated a service to Hill Prince which was bought by J. E. Ryan, presumably acting for Mrs. J. R. H. Thouron. Hill Prince stands for a \$3,000 fee. A. B. Hancock, Jr. bought a service to Oil Capitol for \$2,900. Oil Capitol stands for \$2,000 and was offered by House Farms and a syndicate. C. V. Whitney and Elmendorf Farm donated a service to Phalanx, which brought \$2,000 from Mrs. Walter M. Jeffords. Mr. Jeffords is President of the National Museum of Racing.

On the following night J. E. Ryan, acting for Mrs. Thouron, went to \$8,000 for a service to Mr. Busher, donated by Main Chance Farm. Mr. Busher's stud fee has been doubled for 1957 to \$5,000. Bayard Tuckerman paid \$2,500 for a service to One Count, who is the property of a syndicate and commands a \$2,000 fee. Royal Serenade which also stands for \$2,000 brought \$3,800 on a bid from the Poe's of Harrodsburg.

The night of the 16th saw the sum raised soaring to \$55,000, with a service to Crafty Admiral (who stands for \$2,000) bought for \$3,200. A service to the speed sire Errard, owned by John W. Gallbreath, went to Mrs. Walter M. Jeffords for \$3,700. George Offutt of Warrenton, Va. paid the top figure of the evening for a stud service when he upped to \$4,700 for a service to the syndicated Your Host whose fee is \$2,500. The closing figure realized for the Museum was \$63,000.

### Daughter of \*Rivaz Wins Big Spring

A remarkable spring performance at Goodwood was the fluent victory of the Aga Khan's lovely filly Palariva in the King George Stakes of 4,350 dollars, when she covered the five furlongs on a soft track in 62 1/5 secs. to beat the July Cup runner-up Edmundo by a length.

Palariva is by Palestine out of \*Rivaz, the "flying filly" which was purchased by Miss Eleonora Sears of Boston for \$63,000 and is a half-sister to \*Nasrullah. —P. T.-C.

### Half-Sister to Keeneland Purchase Wins

Winner of the Airy Hill Stakes over a mile at Redcar was the chestnut filly Willa, who got up on the post to score by a short-head in a field of nine.

This was the first success for the three-year-old daughter of Alycidon and Feu Follet. At last year's Keeneland Sales, her half-brother by Big Game, consigned by Woodley Lane for \$11,500. —P. T.-C.

### Clark Yet Again

Robert S. Clark had his second success in three days when his three-year-old filly Sweetcake scored under near top weight of 122 lb. in the seven furlong Eston Handicap over seven furlongs.

Starting at 5-1 the filly gained the lead close home to score cleverly by three-quarters of a length.

By Derby winner Blue Peter out of \*Mahmoud's daughter Sugar Bun, Sweetcake is a half-sister to the good filly Bright Circulet who won five races for her owner and has now been retired to stud. P. T.-C.

### Alabama Raised

Greek Game, bred by Fred W. Hooper and currently one of the leading two-year-olds in this country, was raised on Mr. Hooper's Alabama farm although foaled in Kentucky. He is by Olympia, which Mr. Hooper purchased as a weanling, out of Sunday Supper bred by Greentree and a full sister to Hash.

### F. Wallis Armstrong, Jr.

F. Wallis Armstrong Jr., of the Meadowview Farms, Moorestown, New Jersey, died August 14th at the age of 49 from a heart attack. The Armstrong family have been bloodstock breeders for many years. Mr. Armstrong, Sr. having brought over \*Teddy from France in partnership with the late Kenneth N. Gilpin of Boyce, Virginia. He was also the breeder of the Kentucky Derby winner, Cavalcade. Mr. Armstrong, Jr. was also successful as a breeder and in 1952 formed a syndicate to purchase the great race horse Your Host, then a cripple whose chances of usefulness as a sire were very much in doubt. Fortunately, the gamble paid off and yearlings by Your Host sold for high figures at the recent Saratoga Sales. It is understood that Mrs. Armstrong will carry on the operations of the stud.

### Soundness Of Nashua

In addition to his many other qualifications as a stallion, Nashua is undoubtedly one of the soundest among the great race horses of modern times; a quality in which the Thoroughbred breed is much too deficient today.

### Clark On Saratoga Sales

John "Trader" Clark of Lexington who attended the recent Saratoga Sales is quoted by Bob Horwood as saying that the sales were the sort that "if you had any money, would make you lose all respect for it."

### Snake Bite

Mrs. Marie A. Moore of Middleburg, Virginia arrived in Saratoga only just in time to see her consignment of yearlings sold by the Fasig-Tipton Company. Her departure from High Hope Farm was delayed because one of her mastiffs was severely poisoned by a snake bite.

### Dr. John R. Hill

Dr. John R. Hill, a veterinarian, who was manager of Mrs. Parker B. Poe's Shawnee Farm at Harrodsburg, Kentucky, recently died at the age of 63.

### Death Of Dante

Dante, winner of the 1945 Epsom Derby and one of the leading British sires, was found dead of heart failure in his stall at Theakston Hall Stud on August 16th. He was by Nearco out of Rosy Legend. His best son was Darius, winner of the 2,000 Guineas, in 1954.

## VIRGINIA

### Gandharva's Sister

Brookmeade Stable has a suckling full sister to Gandharva, the Olympia filly who was recently awarded first place in the \$20,000-added Champlain Handicap by the disqualification of Blue Sparkler, at Harrie B. Scott's Shandon Farm, Lexington, where the Brookmeade brood mares are boarded in Kentucky. The dam, Psychist who has also produced the stakes-winning filly Ouija, by Olympia's sire \*Heliopolis, this spring was bred to Helioscope, another son of \*Heliopolis.—F. T. P.

### Llangollen At Hollywood

The Llangollen Farm of Upperville, Va., the property of Mrs. Liz Whitney Lunn, recently completed a remarkably successful racing campaign at Hollywood Park, California, collecting \$305,875. The homebred Porterhouse (\*Endeavor II—Red Stamp) beat Swaps in the \$100,000 Californian and also won the Lakes and Flowers Handicap; the 3 year old Social Climber, also bred by Llangollen, accounted for the El Dorado and Cinema Handicaps; while Mr. Gus collected sizeable checks in running second to Swaps three times.

## TEXAS

Bud Burmester, Texas horseman, writes that he had concluded arrangements with a group of Californian breeders for the sale of L'Admiralte 8 year old daughter of Grand Admiral—Step Away by North Star III, and dam of Anchor Watch, stakes winner at the current Del Mar meeting. The mare, currently in foal to the Bob Lucas' stallion, Swift Comet, (Teddy's Comet—Swiftlight by imported Swift and Sure) will be shipped to the West shortly.

—B. B.

### France's Greatest Broodmare?

Baron Guy de Rothschild's home bred Aurore Boreale (by Brantome, also home bred) has a strong claim to being the greatest broodmare in France. In three successive years she produced Tropique (1952), currently the best handicap horse; Le Geographe (1953) winner of the Grand Criterium and best 2 year old of his year which met with an accident; and L'Astrologue (1954) recent winner of Le Prix Robert Papin, the first leg of the French Triple Crown for 2 year olds.

### Flying Fury's Kin

John S. Phipps has a yearling half brother, by \*Djeddah, and a suckling half sister, by \*Heliopolis, to Flying Fury, the \*Nasrullah colt who recently won the \$22,000 Midsummer Hurdle Handicap for Cain Hoy Stable, at A. B. Hancock's Claiborne Farm, Paris.

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# Standing for Season of 1956

The following list of stallions, representative of the best Thoroughbred racing blood in each state, will be carried monthly in The Chronicle throughout the year. Those interested in having stallions listed in this directory will have their requests given prompt attention by writing The Chronicle, c/o The Chronicle Advertising Department, Middleburg, Virginia.

## Alabama

Owned by: Miss Mignon C. Smith, 125-C Memory Ct., Birmingham 9, Ala.

Telephone: TREmont 9-9139, TREmont 1-6356

Standing at: Mede Cahaba Stud, Rt. 1, Helena, Ala.

**\*SIRTE** Fee: \$250 reg. Thoroughbreds \$100 others

\$100 payable at time of first service; return for season.

\$150 payable Sept. 1 in lieu of veterinary barren certificate

Ch., 1937, \*Ortello—Silene by Kibwesi.

Stakes winner in Italy from 6 f. to 1 1/4 mi. — Italy's richest race; never unplaced. His stakes-winning get include Stige, winner of the Italian National Steeplechase. His excellent conformation, disposition, size (17 hands), substance, balance and long floating stride make him ideally suited to sire hunters, chasers, and routers.

## California

Owned by: Liangollen Farms

Managed by: Rex Ellsworth

Telephone: Lycoming 83563

Standing at: Ellsworth Ranch, Chino, Cal.

**\*ENDEAVOUR II** Fee: \$3,000—Live Foal B., 1942, British Empire—Himalaya, by Hunters Moon.

Undefeated Champion of the Argentine in 1947. Sire of Porterhouse best 2-year-old colt or gelding, best 2-year-old of 1953. And Sire of many other Stakes class winners.

## Illinois

Owned by: Westwind Farm

Managed by: Ted Mohlam

Telephone: Hinsdale, Ill. 3212

Standing at: Oak Brook Polo Club, Hinsdale, Ill.

**UNBRIDLED** Fee: \$500—Return B., 1947, by Unbreakable—Lark Song by Blue Larkspur.

Winner of Hyde Park Stakes beating Duchess Peg, Bully Boy, Re-Armed, etc. Second in Bay State Kindergarten Stakes, etc.

## Indiana

Owned by: Mrs. Louis Schwitzer, Jr.

Managed by: Mrs. Louis Schwitzer, Jr.

Telephone: Victor 6-2222 or Victor 6-2663

Standing at: Schwitzerland Farm, R.R. 2, Carmel, Indiana

**BUSYRIDGE** Fee: \$300, Live Foal B., 1940, by Longridge—Miss Busybody, by Busy American.

Winner through 8 and sire of winners.

## Kentucky

Owned by: Syndicate

Managed by: Clarkson Beard

Telephone: Lexington 4-5147

Standing at: Greentree Farm, Lexington, Kentucky

**BIMELECH** Fee: \$3,500—Live Foal B., 1937, Black Toney—\*La Troienne, by \*Teddy.

Sire of 10 \$100,000 winners.

Owned by: Greentree Stud, Inc.

Managed by: Clarkson Beard

Telephone: Lexington 4-5147

Standing at: Greentree Farm, Lexington, Kentucky

**CAPOT** Fee: \$1,000—Live Foal

Br., 1946, Menow—Piquet, by \*St. Germans

Voted horse of the year in 1946. Sire of the winners Sweet Aloe, Hurry By in first crop.

Owned by: Starmount Stable

Managed by: Carter Thornton

Standing at: Threave Main Stud, Paris, Ky.

**PRIMATE**

Fee: \$500

Dk. ch., 1949, by Some Chance—Edified, by \*Jacopo.

Retired from racing due to a broken sesamoid bone. Lost this stake by only a head or neck, giving weight to good horses, including the winner. Primate won the Youthful and Juvenile; 2nd in National Stallion, Belmont Futurity and Jersey Stakes, also in the High Quest, in which we were in receipt of 3 pounds from Tom Fool when we lost to him by a neck.

Owned by: Greentree Stud, Inc.

Managed by: Clarkson Beard

Telephone: Lexington 4-5147

Standing at: Greentree Farm, Lexington, Kentucky

**SHUT OUT** Fee: \$2,500—Live Foal

Ch., 1939, Equipoise—Goose Egg, by \*Chicle.

Outstanding sire of Evening Out, Social Outcast, Closed Door, One Hitter, Hall of Fame, etc.

Owned by: Greentree Stud, Inc.

Managed by: Clarkson Beard

Telephone: Lexington 4-5147

Standing at: Greentree Farm, Lexington, Kentucky

**TOM FOOL** Fee: \$5,000—Live Foal

B., 1949, by Menow—Gaga, by \*Bull Dog.

Best handicap horse, best sprinter and voted best horse of the year, 1953

## Maryland

Owned by: A Syndicate

Managed by: John Barr

Telephone: Office Vinewood 5-2371

Residence Vinewood 5-2091

Standing at: Glade Valley Farm, Walkersville, Md.

**ALERTED** Fee: \$1,500 B., 1948, by Bull Lea—Hastily Yours, by John P. Rier.

Stakes winner of 20 races and \$440,485.

Owned by: Greenbrier Stable

Managed by: John Barr

Telephone: Vinewood 5-3271

Standing at: Glade Valley Farm, Walkersville, Md.

**\*FAIRFORALL** Fee: \$300

B., 1949, by Fairwell—Westrol, by Rosewell.

He raced only at 2 when he won four races and placed twice in eight starts, all stakes. He won the Fullerton Stakes, Woodcote Stakes, Granville Stakes, and Nell Gwynn Stakes.

Owned by: A Syndicate

For information: Peter Jay

Telephone: Churchville 5491

Standing at:

Windmill Hill Farm, R. D. 2, Havre de Grace, Md.

**\*NORTHERN STAR** \$500—Live Foal

B., 1948, by Mirza II—Venus, by Gold Bridge

Track record breaker. Stakes winner at 2, 3, and 4.

Owned by: Happy Hill Farm

Managed by: Glenangus Farms

Standing at: Glenangus Farms, Bel Air, Maryland

**\*ORESTES III** Fee: \$500—Live Foal

B. 1941 by Donatello II—Oreson, by Friar Marcus.

Undefeated 2-year-old champion of England and sire of stakes winners both there and in America. He has outstanding performers in all divisions this year: Pylades, 2-year-old Aeschylus, 3-year-old and June Fete, 4-year-old.

Owned by: John S. Phipps

Managed by: Glenangus Farms

Standing at: Glenangus Farms, Bel Air, Maryland

**PARNASSUS** Fee: \$500—Live Foal

Br., 1950, by War Admiral—\*Uvira, by Umidwar.

Winner of nearly \$100,000 in spite of a broken fetlock suffered as a yearling.

Owned by: A Syndicate

Standing at: Glenangus Farms, Bel Air, Maryland.

**SEA CHARGER** Fee: \$2,000—Live Foal

BOOK FULL 1956

Ch., 1950, by \*Royal Charger—Sea Flower, by Walvis Bay. The Irish Champion.

Owned by: Greentree Stud      Managed by: H. Robertson Fenwick  
 Telephone: Reisterstown, Md. 1081-W  
 Standing at: Warburton Farm, Glyndon, Maryland  
**SWING AND SWAY**      Fee: \$250

PAYABLE WHEN FOAL  
 STANDS AND NURSES

Br. 1938, Equipoise—Nedana, by \*Negofol  
 Stakes winning sire of stakes winners on the flat and over jumps.

Owned by: Col. H. B. Marcus      Managed by: John Barr  
 Telephone: Office Vinewood 5-2371  
 Residence Vinewood 5-2091  
 Standing at: Glade Valley Farm, Walkersville, Md.  
**THE PINCHER**      Fee: \$500

Dk. b., 1946 by \*Heliopolis—Effie B, by \*Bull Dog.  
 Winner of 25 races at 2, 3, 4, 5 and 6 including the Chesapeake Trial, Benjamin Franklin, W. P. Burch Memorial (twice), Rowe Memorial and Philadelphia for a total of \$109,720.

### Massachusetts

Owned by: Mr. and Mrs. Talbot Dewey      Managed by: Robert Ridley  
 Telephone: Millis, Mass., Frontier 6-2307  
 Standing at: Ridley Stables, Medfield, Mass.  
**COUNT NIMBLE**      Fee: Private Contract  
 FREE TO STAKES WINNING MARES  
 Winning son of Count Fleet out of stakes winning, stakes producing half-sister to Honeymoon (\$387,700), Pedigree and Hemisphere.

Owned by: Mr. and Mrs. Bayard Tuckerman, Jr.      Managed by: Bayard Tuckerman, Jr.  
 Tel.: Lafayette 3-5700—108 Water St., Boston  
 Standing at: Little Sunswick Farm, South Westport, Mass.  
**SILVER WINGS**      Fee: \$300—Return  
 Gr., 1948, \*Mahmoud—Irvana, by Blue Larkspur.  
 Won Great American Stakes, Aqueduct, 1950—Six furlongs in 1:10 1/4, beating Battlefield; Second in George Woolf Memorial; Third in Sanford and Grand Union Stakes.

### Missouri

Owned by: True Davis, Jr.  
 Telephone: St. Joseph 8-0674  
 Standing at: South St. Joseph, Mo.  
**HARBOURTON**      Fee: \$250—Live Foal  
 Dk. b. m., 1946, by Eight Thirty—Invoke, by \*Teddy.  
 A stakes winning son of Eight Thirty out of the stakes winning dam Invoke, who was voted "Broodmare of the Year, 1951"

### New Jersey

Owned by: Tuckahoe River Farms.      Managed by: Tuckahoe River Farms  
 Telephone: Tuckahoe 29-J or 46-R  
 Standing at: Tuckahoe River Farms, Tuckahoe, N. J.  
**COAT-OF-BLUE**      Fee: \$100—Live Foal  
 Gr., 1949, by Cravat—Dream Belle, by \*Belfonds.  
 "The Picture Horse", a winner that liked a distance.

Owned by: Tuckahoe River Farms.      Managed by: Tuckahoe River Farms  
 Telephone: Tuckahoe 29-J or 46-R  
 Standing at: Tuckahoe River Farms, Tuckahoe, N. J.  
**DESERT GOLD**      Fee: \$500—Live Foal  
 Ch., 1945, by \*Blenheim—Brushup, by Sweep.  
 War Admiral's winning half-brother.

### New York

Owned by: Dr. Anthony J. Latella      Apply to: Warren H. Debany  
 Telephone: Fairview 5-4378  
 Standing at: Josedale Farms, Hillsdale, N. Y.  
**COCKFIELD**      Fee: \$100

Payable at time of service.  
 Money refunded if mare is barren.

B., 1950, Case Ace—\*Betsy Ross II, by \*Mahmoud.  
 First year at stud, an opportunity to breed to a horse royally bred on both sides. Half-brother to Calvados, Indian Call, Shellback and Symposium. His sire is sire of Pavot, Lochinvar, Ace Card, Nance's Ace, etc.

Owned by: W. P. Wadsworth      Managed by: Leland Gardner  
 Telephone: Geneseo 117-W  
 Standing at: The Homestead, Geneseo, N. Y.  
**GREY FLARES**      Fee: \$100.00

Payable at time of service. Fee refunded if mare is barren and veterinary certificate is filed before November 1 in the year which the mare is bred.

Gr., 1941, Fli res—Greyglade by \*Sir Greysteel.  
 A "Premium Funder Sire" and "sure foal getter". By a winner of English classics and from a "Jumping" distaff.

Owned by: Ward Acres Farm      Apply to: Jack B. Ward  
 Telephone: New Rochelle 6-7736  
 Standing at: Ward Acres Farm, New Rochelle, N. Y.  
**MASTER FIDDLE**      Fee: \$300 Live Foal  
 Gr., 1949, by First Fiddle—Marsh Marigold, by \*Sir Gallahad III.

First Fiddle's leading money winning son—defeated Tom Fool at level weights in Wood Memorial; won Ardsley Stakes over Blue Man and the 1 3/16 mile Thistledown Cup in near record time, etc.

Owned by: Ward Acres Farm      Apply to: Jack B. Ward  
 Telephone: New Rochelle 6-7736  
 Standing at: Ward Acres Farm, New Rochelle, N. Y.  
**WAIT A BIT**      Fee: \$500 Live Foal  
 Ch., 1939, by Espino—Hi-Nelli, by High Cloud.  
 Stakes winner 19 races; sire of stakes winners Bit o' Fate, Go A Bit, Gulf Stream; stakes placed Country Cox, Blazing Home, Right Bit and Swords Point.

Owned by: Mrs. Robert L. Gerry      Managed by: Harry Main  
 Telephone: Delhi, 0412  
 Standing at: Aknusti Stud, Delhi, New York  
**YOUNG PETER**      Fee: \$200  
 B., 1944, Peanuts—Mary Jane, by Pennant.  
 Stakes winner of over \$80,000 including Providence Stakes, Choice Stakes and Travers, beating Phalanx and Colonel O'F. Sire of the winner Granion from first crop.

### North Carolina

Owned by: Stark S. Dillard      Managed by: Richard F. Buckner  
 Telephone: 3-3140  
 Standing at: Wonderland Farm, Sedgefield, N. C.  
 Address: Route 3, Box 174, Greensboro, N. C.  
**WRACK OF GOLD**      Fee: Contract  
 Ch., 1941 by Cloth O'Gold—Wrackatell, by Runantell.  
 Wrack of Gold, sire of the good stakes winner Mi Marigold, Vineland Handicap, 2nd in Miss America Stakes to Miss Joanne, also beaten 3/4-length by Grecian Queen and Is Proud in Marguerite Stakes.

### Pennsylvania

Owned by: A Syndicate      Managed by: Mackey Koval  
 Telephone: Westmore 5-2222 or 5-1629  
 Standing at: Millwood Farm, Bayne, Wexford Rd., Gibsonia, Pa.  
**BILLMAN**      Fee: \$50.00

Payable at time of service.  
 Fee Refunded if mare is barren.

Roan; 1947 by Halberd—Ginowee by \*Gino  
 First year at Stud. A winner at 2, 3, 4, 5, 6 and 7; with the bloodlines on both sides that produced top runners and chasers. A few free services available.

Owned by: Fred N. Snyder      Managed by: Fred N. Snyder  
 Telephone: Uhlerstown 381  
 Standing at: Rollinghill Farms, Erwinna, Bucks Co., Pa.  
**KINGS PRINCE**      Fee: Private Contract  
 Ch., 1947, \*Princequillo—Kingcella, by Burgoon King.

A winning son of \*Princequillo, whose first crop are now 2-year-olds. Top conformation, bred along the same lines as Hill Prince and by the distinguished sire of: How, Prince Dare, Misty Morn, Prince John, etc. Here is the nucleus for track potentials.

Owned by: Gen. Richard K. Mellon      Managed by: William Bale  
 Telephone: BEverly 8-9507  
 Standing at: Rolling Rock Farms, Ligonier, Pennsylvania  
**\*ROLLING ROCK**      Fee: \$500

Brown 1951 by Nasrullah—Salecraft by Orpen.  
 By the sire of the top priced yearling \$86,000. at the 1954 Keeneland Yearling Sales. Sire of Nashua highest price Thoroughbred ever sold.

Owned by Gen. Richard K. Mellon      Managed by William Bale  
Telephone BEverly 8-9507

Standing at Rolling Rock Farms, Ligonier, Pennsylvania  
**\*ROLLING ROCK**      Fee: \$500

Brown 1951 by Nasrullah—Salecraft by Orpen.  
By the sire of the top priced yearling \$90,000, at the 1954 Keeneland Yearling Sales. Sire of Nashua highest price Thoroughbred ever sold.

Owned by Gen. Richard K. Mellon      Managed by William Bale  
Telephone BEverly 8-9507

Standing at Rolling Rock Farms, Ligonier, Pennsylvania  
**\*RUFIGI**      Fee: \$200

Bay 1937 by Easton—Malva by Charles O' Malley.  
Half-brother to \*Blenheim II and sire of the steeplechase winners Dillsburg, Deferment, Carthage, Chamboug etc. Sire of show champions and high class hunters.

Owned by: H. E. Rulon      Managed by: H. E. Rulon  
Standing at: Chelba Farm, Oakbourne Rd., West Chester, Pa.  
Dr. Frederick W. Bahler

**SECAV**      Fee: \$300—Return  
Br., 1944, by \*Bull Dog—Gino Patty, by \*Gino.

Winner of over \$80,000 in sprints and distance races; placed in stakes. Of six foals, five starters: Valenciano, winner 20 races, \$43,780; Living Doll, winner 8 races, placed in handicap, \$21,200; Ournav, winner 5 races, \$16,880; Safari Boy, winner 3 races, \$3885; Lasti Pusti, placed in N. Y.

Culture Required

### Virginia

Owned by: James L. Wiley      Managed by: James L. Wiley  
Telephone: Middleburg 4801

Standing at Locochee Farm, Middleburg, Va.  
**BLUE YONDER**      Fee: \$250—Live Foal  
Ch., 1943, by Ariel—Reighzelle, by Reigh Count.

From 27 starts at 2, 3, & 4, all in stakes and allowance races and always at the big tracks, he was out of the money only once a year. He could sprint (Chesapeake Trial Stakes, 6 f.); go a middle distance (Potomac Stakes, 1½ m.), stay a route (Grayson Stakes, 1½ m.).

Owned by: Forest T. Taylor      Managed by: Fred Newman  
Telephone: Staunton 5-4871

Standing at: Cherry Hill Farm, Staunton, Virginia  
**BOWLER**      Fee: Pvt. Contract  
Br., 1948, War Admiral—Rash Hurry, by John P. Grier.

BOWLER bears a great resemblance to his illustrious sire, War Admiral, a triple crown winner and the most successful son of Man o'War. First dam, Rash Hurry, was a producer of winners. Second dam, \*Hastily, by Hurry On; dam of Cavalcade and Hastily Yours, etc.  
BOWLER was never raced due to a training injury.

Owned by: Mrs. J. H. Thouron      Apply to Mrs. Marion duPont Scott  
Telephone: Orange 7106

Standing at: Montpelier Farm, Montpelier Station, Va.  
**CASTLE HILL II**      Fee:  
Ch., 1950, by Hyperion—Quacada.

A winner at Hialeah Park as a 3-year-old.

Owned by: Forest T. Taylor      Managed by: Fred Newman  
Telephone: Staunton 5-4871

Standing at: Cherry Hill Farm, Staunton, Virginia  
**CHILLY BEAU**      Fee: \$50  
B., 1939, Chilhowie—Beau's Gal, by Beau Gallant, by \*Light Brigade.

An outstanding sire of conformation hunters and show ring jumpers.

Owned by: E. P. Rodriguez      Managed by: A. T. Taylor  
Telephone: Princess Anne 841

Standing at: Aldo Farms, London Bridge, Va.  
**ED'S PRIDE**      Fee: \$250—Live Foal  
Ch., 1949, by Errard—Car-Rou, by \*Carlaris.

From 14 starts, a winner of 6 races, second 3 times, all in stakes carrying top weight in all but 2 starts at two.

Owned by: George Schneider.      Managed by: James Brown  
Telephone: The Plains, Va. 2131

Standing at: Over The Grass Farm, The Plains, Va.  
**DULAT**      Fee: \$250—Refund

PAYABLE AT TIME OF SERVICE.  
APPROVED MARES

ch., 1948, by Silver Horde—La Joya, by Mokatam.  
High class winner at 2, 3, 5 and 7. Defeated such horses as Crafty Admiral, Bold, Yildiz, \*Iceberg II, Big Stretch, Lone Eagle, Seaward, Jampol, Mandingo, Alerted.

Owned by: Llangollen Farm      Managed by: Richard Kirby  
Telephone: Upperville 41

Standing at: Llangollen Farm, Upperville, Virginia  
**KITCHEN POLICE**      \$300—Live Foal

Ch., 1943, by Discovery—Galley Slave, by \*Gino.  
Stakes winner and co-holder of track record, Saratoga Racing Ass'n.  
¾-mil. 1:09½. Sire of many good winners.

Owned by: Montpelier Farm      Apply to: Mrs. Marion duPont Scott

Standing at: Montpelier Farm, Montpelier Station, Va.  
Telephone: Orange 7106

**NAVY GUN**      Fee: \$500.

Due Oct. 1st, 1956 or a veterinary certificate stating mare is not in foal.

B., 1945, by Battleship—Pova.  
Navy Gun won \$41,675 in Steeplechase Stakes.

Owned by: Llangollen Farm      Managed by: Richard Kirby  
Telephone: Upperville 41

Standing at: Llangollen Farm, Upperville, Virginia  
**NIGHT LARK**      Fee: \$50—Private Contract

Grey, 1939, Bonne Nuit—Poulette, by \*Coq Gaulois.  
Sire of outstanding show ring winners including Storm King, winner of Virginia Horsemen's High Score award for 3-year-olds; Compromise, etc.

Owned by: Llangollen Farm      Managed by: Richard Kirby  
Telephone: Upperville 41

Standing at: Llangollen Farm, Upperville, Virginia  
**PENNANCE**      Fee: \$50—Private Contract  
Ch., 1946, by Pilate—Peggy Porter, by The Porter.  
Winning half-brother to stakes winner and out of a stakes winning dam.

Owned by: I. S. Compton      Managed by: I. S. Compton  
Telephone: Mt. Jackson, Va. 91

Standing at: Mill Creek Stables, Mt. Jackson, Va.  
**PICTOR**      Fee: \$500

PAYABLE OCTOBER 1st IN LIEU OF VETERINARY CERTIFICATE IF MARE IS BARREN.

B., 1937, by \*Challenger II—Lady Legend, by Dark Legend (Fr.)  
Stakes winners Pictus, Sweet Pick, Bulverde, and Vesuvio. His get have won 384 races and \$850,199 through 1955.

Owned by: W. D. Pawley      Managed by: Ashby Taylor  
Telephone: The Plains 3131

Standing at: Belvoir Farm, The Plains, Va.  
**PREISRICHTER**      Fee: \$100—Live Foal

Br. 1944, by Brantome—Patoche, by Asterus.  
His foals are of excellent type . . . they've won as foals, yearlings, two-year-olds.

Owned by: D. R. Motch      Telephone: Charlottesville 3-1734

Standing at: Coleswood Farm, Keene, Virginia  
**SEVEN LEAGUE**      Fee: \$100—Live Foal

B., 1945, by Our Boots—Gifted Lady, by \*Bright Knight.  
Stakes winner with earnings over \$60,000

Owned by: Llangollen Farm      Managed by: Richard Kirby  
Telephone: Upperville 41

Standing at: Llangollen Farm, Upperville, Virginia  
**SINGING STEP**      Private Contract

Roan, 1945, by Stephenfitchit—Singing Witch, by \*Royal Minstrel.  
Winner of \$40,970—A real speed horse.

Owned by: George L. Ohlstrom Estate      Leased by: James L. Wiley  
Telephone: Middleburg 4801

Standing at: Locochee Farm, Middleburg, Va.  
**\*TENNYSON II**      Fee: \$250

Payable at time of service. Money refunded if mare is barren.  
Ch., 1947, Straight Deal—Fille de Poets.  
Winner in four stakes, placed twice, including second to \*DJEDDAH in The Eclipse, out of seven starts.



# The Clubhouse Turn



## IRISH WINS FOR AMERICANS

On Saturday, August 4, Miss E.R. Sears of Boston won the Dundrum Maiden Plate with her two-year-old Ampleforth (Arctic Star--Rising Fair) which was having his first visit to the racecourse. Same day and venue (Leopardstown) winner of the Bray Maiden Plate was Calgary Court (Supreme Court--Anna Lucasta) in a common canter. He is owned by Mr. G.M. Bell, who races in Canada and the USA. P. de B. O'B.

## RUBY IMPORT TO CANADA

Importer of the good Vatelore mare, Curates Egg, to Canada, shortly, is Mr. L.W. Ruby, publisher of The Thoroughbred of Canada, Toronto. These Vatelors are hard to come by. She will travel with her Sailing Light foal and is in foal to Pink Flower. P. de B. O'B.

## OLD CAMPAIGNER

On the New Jersey circuit this year they have a real old timer. His name is Laran (Hairan--Carolla by Omaha) and he is a twelve-year-old gelding. He started racing in 1946 as a two-year-old and hasn't missed a season since. He has started 185 times and won 39 times for a total earning of \$135,437.

Laran has beaten lots of stakes horses, but he has only managed to win one added money event. That was the Baltimore Spring Handicap at Pimlico in 1949. In his best year which was 1951, he earned \$20,350. His worst was 1953 when he only earned \$175. This year he has banked over \$11,000 so far.

The gelding was purchased as a yearling in Kentucky by Humphrey Finney acting as agent for E.A. Nicodemus of Waynesboro, Pa. Mr. Nicodemus has owned Laran ever since. Frank A. Bonsall has trained him, Penny Wilson broke him as a yearling and has been with him ever since as has Roger Gill who exercises him. After each campaign, the owner picks up Laran in a two-horse trailer and takes him home to be turned out. They say this will be Laran's last year at the races, but I'll bet the old boy will get bored just standing around in a pasture all day. R.J. Clark

## MRS. ERLANGER AT NEWMARKET

At the second session of the Newmarket July yearling sales the second highest price was the \$7,500 given by Newmarket trainer Geoffrey Brooke for the all-quality chestnut daughter of Fair Trial which he bought for the American owner Mrs. Milton Erlanger.

Out of the Bois Roussel mare Denver Star, she is a half-sister to three winners including \*Denver News which won in the United States and in Canada.

Fair Trial is now aged twenty-four, so there are not going to be many more of his daughters submitted at the sales ring.

The filly will remain in England to be trained by Geoffrey Brooke, who already has a two-year-old of Mrs. Erlanger's in his charge. P.T.-C.

## 157 NOMINATIONS TO NEVER SAY DIE

After the announcement that Robert S. Clark had generously given Never Say Die to the English National Stud, breeders were told to submit their applications for the 28 nominations to be made available by ballot for English breeders in the horse's first season at the National Stud.

If Mr. Clark requires any confirmation of the delight that was felt by all in the breeding world that the son of \*Nasrullah was to remain in the British Isles, this was forthcoming when the time limit for the

applications to Never Say Die expired. No less than 157 bids had been put in for the horse, so a lot of people are going to be disappointed.

It will be remembered that the donor stipulated that ten nominations were to be made available for breeders resident in Ireland. P.T.-C.

## NO DODGING

Before a recent sixth race at Jamaica I managed to find James Fitzsimmons not doing anything for a few minutes while waiting for Retreat to come into the walking ring and get saddled. Naturally, I asked Mr. Fitz about his big horse.

He says Nashua is sound as a nut and just as healthy as can be. The colt eats well, works well, and his coat shines. As I discovered last fall during a visit to Nashua at home (Aqueduct) when he nearly took a sleeve off my new blue blazer, the big colt loves to play. Mr. Fitz says he is just bubbling over with playfulness which is about as good an indication as any that he feels fine.

The obvious thing to ask Mr. Fitz next was, of course, about meeting Swaps. He said that Nashua's schedule has been made public and if Swaps chooses to take up the issue, he can. Mr. Fitz says, "We aren't going to chase him and we aren't going to dodge him either." (I'll still bet anybody thirty cents they never meet again.)

As to those amazing times Swaps has been turning in out in California, Mr. Fitz says that he doesn't pay too much heed to what the clocks say. It is what the colt beats that counts and Swaps has run all over Bobby Brocato and Mister Gus which Mr. Fitz regards as real runners. I dare say the smashing performance by Mister Gus in the Arlington Handicap didn't do either his or Swaps' stock any harm in Mr. Fitz's book, either. R. J. Clark

## CAME-SAW-LOST I

Sir Winston Churchill made a four hour visit to the Duesseldorf race track and saw his colt Le Pretendant (Ocean Swell-Cybele) finish next to last of the 11 runners in the \$12,500 Grand Prix North-Rhine-Westphalia on July 29.

The winner was the French trained Gombar (Goyama-Vaneuse) owned by

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Left to right: G. Walker, Mrs. J. W. Hanes and E. P. Taylor of Canada. Mrs. J. W. Hanes is shown presenting the trophy to Mr. J. P. Taylor, whose Nearctic, by Nearco—Lady Angela, by Hyperion, won the Saratoga Special with Jockey Walker in the irons.

## The Clubhouse Turn

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Prince Said Tousson who followed King Farouk into exile. Cecil Lalanne, jockey of the well-known Hennessey Stables of Paris had the mount.

Gombar won by two and a half lengths from another French entry Prince Aly Khan's Cobetto, half-brother (by Migoli) to Claiborne's new sire \*Tulyar.

The race of one mile five furlongs was turned into a dour, leg-tiring struggle through the mud. A torrent of rain and hail had sluiced down beforehand. British champion-jockey Doug Smith: "Le Pretendant lost his race before the start. The rattling of hailstones on the roof of his box thoroughly upset him!"

At a lunch-party Sir Winston stated: "It is the right time to forget what happened ten years ago. Racing on an international basis is a real factor in making friends." Warm applause from crowded stands welcomed Sir Winston when taking a seat in a reserved box. He was accompanied by his son-in-law, Capt. A. J. S. Soames, M.P., and the stud manager. P. Alles

### MacPHAIL JUVENILE WINS IN BRITAIN

In the "Clubhouse Turn" of April 20th, I told of the promise that Larry MacPhail's American-bred two-year-old War Togs was displaying on the Newmarket gallops.

On her second appearance (the Carlton Fillies Plate at Pontefract) War Togs lived up to her home reputation by beating the odds-on favorite Adrienne by four lengths in a six horse field.

By MacPhail's own stallion, the young \*Mahmoud horse General Staff, War Togs is out of Tabard, a daughter of \*Bahram. P. T-C.

### DR. HILL DIES

Dr. John R. Hill, 63, Manager of Mrs. Parker Poe's Shawnee Farm, Harrodsburg, Ky., died last week at his home after a month's illness.

A practising veterinarian for over 40 years, he formerly owned a dairy farm near Lexington.

Survivors include a brother, sister and his wife.

### GILLETS TO EUROPE

Mr. and Mrs. F. Warrington Gillet, operators of Mereworth Farm, Lexington, Ky., were due to fly to England and Ireland immediately after the Saratoga Sales for a two-week tour of horse farms.

### FALCONER BACK TO BROADCASTING

J. B. Falconer, Public-Relations Director for Keeneland and the Breeders' Sales Co., Inc., will return to his first love, broadcasting, this fall. He has been given permission by the track and the sales organization to call the University of Kentucky football games over a State-wide radio network.

### DRYMON RECOVERING

Ira Drymon, operator of Gallaher Farm, Lexington, is expected to return home within a few days after having been hospitalized with a heart attack.

### IRISH RACING LEVY

Due to the introduction in the last budget by the Minister for Finance of a stamp duty of 2 1/2 % on bets with bookmakers and 5 % on bets with the tote, the Irish Racing Board paid the Minister a lump sum of 140,000 pounds to settle the Exchequer's claim for the nine months from July 1, 1956 to March 31, 1957. The board as a result increased its tote levy from 10 % to 15 % but did not increase the 2 1/2 % levy on bookmakers. Almost 8,000,000 pounds was invested with bookmakers and the tote of which 5 1/2 million was wagered with bookmakers. Something over 50 % of the revenue received by the Irish Racing Board is allocated for stakes money. S.L.

### MUSEUM OF RACING

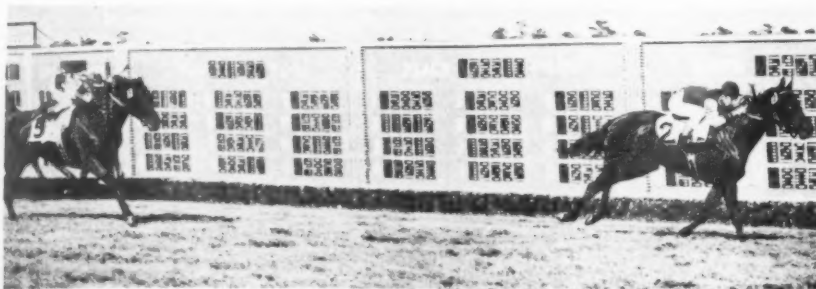
At the annual meeting of the trustees of the National Museum of Racing at Saratoga on August 21st, Walter M. Jeffords was re-elected president. Two new members of the trustees were named, B.A. Tompkins, of New York, and Howell E. Jackson of Virginia, and two new vice presidents were elected, Robert F. Kelley of New York, and Bayard Tuckerman, Jr. of Massachusetts. George D. Widener, F.S. von Stade and Nelson Dunstan were returned as vice presidents, A.M. Douglas as secretary-treasurer and George M. Francis as assistant secretary-treasurer.

The recommendations of the Selection Committee headed by Preston M. Burchas to horses to be added to the Hall of Fame were accepted as follows: Sysonby, Colin, Commando, Peter Pan, Beldame, Artful, Fair Play, Broomstick, Roseben and Good and Plenty. Significant in these selections is Good and Plenty, the first steeplechaser to be named to racing's select group. Owned and trained by Thomas Hitchcock Sr., father of the great polo player, Good and Plenty was called the "Man o' War of the jumps."

George M. Odom, chairman of the committee on jockeys, reported his committee as submitting the following, all of whom were approved: Henry Griffin, Linus (Pony) McAtee, Winnie O'Connor, Frank O'Neill, John Reiff and Raymond (Sonny) Workman. Only three trainers were named by James Cox Brady's committee - John Hyland, William Duke and Henry McDaniel.

### JOCKEY CLUB ROUND TABLE

On August 19th the Jockey Club held its annual round table conference on the current problems of racing and breeding in North America. George D. Widener presided over the meeting attended by many of the leading representatives of the Thoroughbred industry. Among the subjects discussed were the identification of broodmares; the percentage of purses in first, second, third and fourth; uniform and supplementary stakes closing; the uncoupling of entries in pari-mutuel betting; and quinella betting. Arbitrary maximum weights in handicaps were emphatically disapproved by the meeting.



Piloted by Jockey Nick Shuk, Baylor Hickman's Lyka romped to a conclusive victory in the \$20,000 added Pageant Handicap at the Atlantic City Race Course on Aug. 18th. In 2nd place was Cosmah, ridden by Jockey Willie Cook. Third was Lovely Shade, ridden by Harrison B. Wilson.



## SHOW STORIES

### THE GLENMORE HUNT

The Glenmore Hunt Club Horse Show at Staunton, Virginia opened the new Virginia four week show circuit with a calibre of entries and enthusiasm that will be hard to equal. The show was a great success due to the efforts of Forest Taylor and his committee. Competition was keen and there were many new faces. In the green conformation division Templeton Stables' lovely gray colt Cameda barely edged out Peggy Augustus' Bit O'Honey for championship. These two colts will make the three-year-old championship honors at Warrenton a hard decision.

In the green working division the ribbons were spread about, but in the final count C. F. Blair's buckskin Silhouette was champion, Ormond Biltmore Stables Biltmore's Pride reserve on a toss with Mr. & Mrs. Walter Wickes' Equigold. Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Bruce's consistent performer Tuffy, Sally Gentry's Copperfield and Robert Motch's Sky's Impression kept the working hunter championship in doubt until the stake where they finished in that order. The Blairs picked up another championship with lackie riding her popular one-eyed mare Spinning Time for the jumper honors with Ormond Biltmore's Dark Town the reserve. Ladies day in the jumper ranks, a comparatively new thing in Virginia, was a great success with a real turnout of promising young riders and many good performances. Terry Yates was champion with her Little Craft and Price McIntosh was reserve with his new roan gelding Son Imp. Waverly Farms' striking yearling by Blue Yonder was the outstanding individual for the breeding championship with John S. Pettibone's two-year-old Hapgood the reserve.

E. P.

### BATH COUNTY

Another bigger and better Bath County show has come and gone. Nearly 175 horses and ponies representing 13 states were showing. Only two championships were pinned on Virginia owned horses while five went out of the state.

The outstanding performance of the show was in the Middle and Heavyweight conformation hunter class. Mrs. J. Deane Rucker's gray gelding, Spanish Mint, turned in a "one in a million" trip, Eve Fout riding.

Spectators were thrilled by the brilliant jumping of Mr. and Mrs. Bernie Mann's

famed gray gelding, Riviera Wonder who was Open Jumper Champion.

The Mary Keogh Drury Memorial Challenge Trophy for Model Ponies went into competition this year, the winner being Chuckie Gore's gray mare, Pretty Penny.

Elliewood Keith, Sally Gentry, Garfield Harding, Toni Brewer and Bettina Shinkle all had very nasty spills. There were a good many aches and pains but fortunately, no bones broken.

As usual everyone had a grand time at Virginia's finest show and plans are underway for next year.

T.D.J.

### BELLWOOD HUNT

William Babb's Double Scotch really did double duty here. The horse and rider March Lockhart joined the quick-change artists' group as March carried out a life-long 'threat' to show him in the Western division as well as in his usual hunter classes. Anticlimatically, the pair (in borrowed tack and clothing) ended up with the Western championship and the blue in the working stake! Before the day was over, he'd also performed for younger sister Leslie in the children's division. By the end of the day, Double Scotch probably needed what his name implies! Martha and Joe Ferguson's Stonecrusher followed his

usual custom of placing in earlier classes, then waiting to make his grand slam performance in the stake class (which he always wins) ..... the Rock Runn and Conrad Weiser summer camps provided junior competition and took home some well-deserved ribbons. It was nice to see eleven-year-old Jerry Frankhouser doing so well on his father's (Willis D.) open horses..... Sally Liversidge (just "off the boat" from Europe on the 15th) seemed in fine shape as she rode Quick Trade to the hunter championship, plus a second leg on the Local Hunter Trophy, and took home several nice ribbons with her Miss Colony. Fencepost.

### BUBBLING BROOK

A "strictly-for-fun" horse show was held Sunday, August 12, at Mr. and Mrs. Allen P. Johnson's lovely Bubbling Brook Farm near Reynoldsburg, Ohio.

Twenty-nine hunters, jumpers and ponies competed in eleven classes. Kay Allen's Donegal, performing at his usual best, won the Jumper Championship, while Tellabit, owned and ridden by Anne Johnston, was Hunter Champion. Carol Scheaf riding for Mr. and Mrs. L. J. Bennett's Chestnut Oak Farm, piloted Mighty Mite to the Junior Division Championship. E. B.

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## HORSE SHOWS

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### GLENMORE HUNT CLUB

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secretary.

PLACE: Staunton, Va.

TIME: Aug. 10-11.

JUDGES: Mrs. Myron Merry, James H. Blackwell, Lawrence T. Parker, Harry DeMawby.

JUNIOR HUNTER CH: Little Craft, Terry Yates.

RES: Son Imp, Waverly Farms.

GREEN HUNTER CH: Cameda, Templeton Stables.

RES: Bit O'Honey, Peggy Augustus.

GREEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Silhouette, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair.

RES: Biltmore's Pride, Ormond Biltmore Stables.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Tuffy Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Bruce.

RES: Copperfield, Mr. & Mrs. Hugh B. Gentry.

JUMPER CH: Spinning Time, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair.

RES: Dark Town, Ormond Biltmore Stables.

CONFORMATION HUNTER CH: Thou Swell, Mr. & Mrs. D. R. Motch.

RES: Spanish Mint, Mrs. J. Deane Rucker.

### SUMMARIES:

Model green hunters - 1. Cameda, Mr. & Mrs. Robert Burke, Agts; 2. Bit O'Honey, Peggy Augustus; 3. Duke of Paconian, John S. Pettibone; 4. Adopt Me, R. S. Reynolds, Jr. Model hunters - 1. Thou Swell, Mr. & Mrs. D. R. Motch; 2. Spanish Mint, Mrs. J. Deane Rucker; 3. Sun Dial, Lakelawn Farm; 4. Silver Miner, Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Mahler. Yearlings - 1. Entry, Waverly Farm; 2. Entry, Forest T. Taylor; 3. Entry, Delmar Twyman; 4. Entry, John S. Pettibone.

2-yr-old VHA high score award - 1. Lone Scholar, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 2. Haggood, John S. Pettibone; 3. Blue Pennant, Mrs. Morton W. Smith; 4. The Moll, George Moore. Green hunters under saddle - 1. Duke of Paconian, 2. Bit O'Honey; 3. Cameda; 4. Rozastor, Kentmere Farms. Working hunter under saddle - 1. Cheesecake, Laura Lee Shreve; 2. Tuddy Time, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew J. Shinkle; 3. Sky's Impression, Mr. & Mrs. D. R. Motch; 4. Tray Beacon, Templeton Stable.

Conformation hunters under saddle - 1. Thou Swell; 2. Silver Miner; 3. Sun Dial; 4. Baby Seal, Shawnee Farm. Green working hunters under saddle - 1. Rozastor; 2. Mr. Oaks, Mr. & Mrs. Richard Ballinger; 3. Candle Beau, Carl Hopkins; 4. Mr. Wonderful, Carl Hopkins.

Open jumpers - 1. Spinning Time, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair; 2. Dark Town, Ormond Biltmore Stables; 3. Dinner Mint, Jamie Lisle; 4. Hurricane Edna, Jimmy Cantwell. Open conformation hunters - 1. Spanish Mint; 2. Sun Dial; 3. Long Road, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 4. Jack Blandford, Shawnee Farm.

Open working hunters - 1. Sky's Impression; 2. Tuffy, Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Bruce; 3. Little Trip, Lakelawn Farms; 4. Green Lass, Margaret Humphrey.

Green working hunters - 1. Social Error, L. W. Richardson; 2. Sir Mokatan, Mr. & Mrs. William E. Howland; 3. Nazim, Col. John E. Rhea; 4. Equigold, Mr. & Mrs. Walter F. Wickes, Jr.

Ponies - 1. Slick Chick, R. D. Bosserman; 2. Troubles Melody, R. D. Bosserman; 3. Good Gracious, Edith Drumheller; 4. May Queen, J. Earl Jones.

Ladies working hunters - 1. Tuffy; 2. Copperfield, Mr. & Mrs. Hugh B. Gentry; 3. Time Enough, Mr. & Mrs. William E. Howland; 4. Cheesecake.

Open green hunters - 1. Bit O'Honey; 2. Corpond, Mrs. Warner Atkins; 3. Leather Button, Mr. & Mrs. Paul Fout; 4. Skipper's Fate, Shawnee Farm.

Touch & out - 1. Dark Town; 2. Big Bounce, Ormond Biltmore Stables; 3. Bell Hop, Chuck Ackerman; 4. Dinner Mint. Pleasure horse - 1. Jane Allen, Bill Ralston; 2. Entry; 3. Mr. Oaks.

Modified Olympic - 1. Spinning Time; 2. Dark Town; 3. Dinner Mint; 4. Dun Bar, Alan Connell.

Handy working hunters - 1. Copperfield; 2. Sky's Impression; 3. Tuffy; 4. Time Enough.

Hunters under saddle - 1. Duke of Paconian; 2. Adopt Me; 3. Mr. Oaks; 4. Gallery Lad, John S. Pettibone.

Triple bar - 1. Dinner Mint; 2. Rubber Ball, Meadowbrook Stables; 3. Dun Bar; 4. War Eagle, New Hope Farm.

Junior hunter hack - 1. Little Craft, Terry Yates; 2. Son Imp, Waverly Farm; 3. Gay Streak, Glennie Reynolds; 4. Short Circuit, Caroline Evans.

Junior hunters - 1. Son Imp; 2. Free State, Terry Yates, Leli Neims; 3. April Dawn, Jr. Equitation School; 4. Little Craft.

VHSA horsemanship - 1. Alison Duffey; 2. Sara Willis; 3. Terry Yates; 4. Robert Spilman, III.

Green working hunters - 1. Equigold; 2. Biltmore's Pride, Ormond Biltmore Stables; 3. Silhouette, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair; 4. Blue Who, Betty Beryl Schenk.

Open conformation hunters - 1. Thou Swell; 2. Sun Dial; 3. Baby Seal; 4. Desmond, Waverly Farm.

Open green hunters - 1. Skipper's Fate; 2. Adopt Me; 3. Motion Picture, Mr. & Mrs. D. R. Motch; 4. Sir Trouble.

Junior working hunter - 1. Green Lass; 2. Little Craft; 3. Short Circuit; 4. Gay Streak.

Working hunter appointments - 1. Copperfield; 2. Tuffy; 3. Sky's Impression; 4. Cheesecake.

Junior hunting attire - 1. April Dawn; 2. Little Craft; 3. Green Lass; 4. Patricia, Patricia Connors.

PHA trophy class - 1. Dark Town; 2. Spinning Time; 3. Rubber Ball; 4. Bell Hop.

Ladies conformation hunters - 1. Thou Swell; 2. Spanish Mint; 3. Halo Miss, Mr. & Mrs. S. H. Rodgers, Jr. 4. Silver Miner.

Green hunter stake - 1. Cameda; 2. Adopt Me; 3. Corpond; 4. Take Command, Shawnee Farm; 5. Skinner, Mr. & Mrs. Walter F. Wickes, Jr. 6. Candle Beau.

Working hunter stake - 1. Tuffy; 2. Copperfield; 3. Sky's Impression; 4. Little Trip; 5. Barstow, Anan Connell; 6. Cheesecake.

Conformation hunter appointment class - 1. Sun Dial; 2. Long Road; 3. Baby Seal; 4. Silver Miner.

Green working hunter stake - 1. Leather Button; 2. Biltmore's Pride; 3. Laurel Ridge, Mrs. John C. Moberley; 4. Sir Mokatan; 5. Nazim; 6. Equigold.

Knock-down & out - 1. War Eagle; 2. Spinning Time; 3. Dun Bar; 4. Dinner Mint.

Conformation hunter stake - 1. Spanish Mint; 2. Thou Swell; 3. Long Road; 4. Halo Miss; 5. Silver Miner; 6. Ralph Roister Doister, James L. Hatcher, Jr.

Junior stake - 1. Dinner Mint; 2. Spinning Time; 3. Dark Town; 4. Moonspring; 5. Bell Hop; 6. Big Bounce.

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### BATH COUNTY

CORRESPONDENT: Terry Drury Jenkins.

PLACE: Hot Springs, Virginia.

TIME: Aug. 16, 17, 18.

JUDGES: Mrs. Edgar Scott, Daniel Conway, Col. Howard Fair, Christopher Wadsworth, Brig. Gen. F. W. Boye.

GREEN CONFORMATION CH: Cameda, Mrs. Winston Guest.

RES: Bit O'Honey, Peggy Augustus.

GREEN WORKING CH: Rule of Thumb, Barbara Pease. RES: Silhouette, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair.

CONFORMATION CH: Waiting Home, Peggy Augustus.

RES: Shannondale, Greencourt Stables.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Bronze Wing, Fairview Farm.

RES: Copperfield, Mr. & Mrs. Hugh Gentry.

OPEN JUMPER CH: Riviera Wonder, Mr. & Mrs. Bernie Mann.

RES: Gln Ricker, Wally Holly.

BREEDING CH: Entry, Waverly Farm.

RES: Haggood, John S. Pettibone.

SMALL PONY CH: Pretty Penny, Parnell Gore.

RES: Blue Belle, Ann & Billy Doyle.

LARGE PONY CH: Indy Sue, Harold Britte.

RES: Snowman, Beverly Harrison.

GRAND CHAMPION PONY: Pretty Penny, Parnell Gore.

RES: Indy Sue, Harold Britte.

JUNIOR HUNTER CH: Son Imp, Waverly Farm.

RES: April Dawn, Jr. Equitation School.

### SUMMARIES:

Model green conformation hunters - 1. Cameda, Greencourt Stables; 2. Bit O'Honey, Peggy Augustus; 3. Take Command, Shawnee Farm; 4. Duke of Paconian, John S. Pettibone.

Model conformation hunters - 1. Waiting Home, Peggy Augustus; 2. Jack Blandford, Shawnee Farm; 3. Shannondale, Greencourt Stables; 4. Miss Warlock, Mrs. Winston Guest. Junior working hunters - 1. Short Circuit, Caroline Evans; 2. Son Imp, Waverly Farm; 3. Tuddy Time, Bettina Shinkle; 4. Besiege, Peggy Augustus.

Lightweight green working hunters - 1. Silhouette, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair; 2. Biltmore's Pride, Ormond Biltmore Stables; 3. Riviera Boy, Mr. & Mrs. Bernie Mann; 4. Sir Mokatan, Mr. & Mrs. William Howland.

Middle & heavyweight green working - 1. Cataclysmic, Mrs. Charles Williams; 2. Laurel Ridge, Mr. & Mrs. John C. Moberley; 3. Rebound, Thomas F. Maher, Jr. 4. Nazim, John E. Rhea.

Lightweight green conformation hunters - 1. Bit O'Honey; 2. Skinner, Mr. & Mrs. Walter Wickes, Jr.; 3. Corpond, Mrs. Warner Atkins; 4. Leather Button, Mrs. Paul Fout. Middle & heavyweight green conformation - 1. Duke of Paconian; 2. Cameda; 3. Out of Print, Thomas F. Maher, Jr.; 4. Gallery Lad, John S. Pettibone.

Open jumpers - 1. Lariat, George DiPaula; 2. Dinner Mint, Jamie Lisle; 3. Spinning Time, Mr. & Mrs. C. F. Blair; 4. Dark Town, Ormond Biltmore Stables.

VHSA equitation class - 1. Sara Willis; 2. Richard Zimmerman; 3. Bobby Gardner; 4. Glennie Reynolds.

Green working hunters under saddle - 1. Rule of Thumb, Barbara Pease; 2. Cataclysmic; 3. Beau Yeaux, Harvey T. Dove, Jr.; 4. Riviera Boy.

Green conformation hunters under saddle - 1. Cameda; 2. Sir Trouble, Lakelawn Farm; 3. Adopt Me, Richard S. Reynolds, Jr.; 4. Candle Beau, Carl V. Hopkins. Bernie Mann; 2. Spinning Time; 3. Kimberton Vike, Kimberton Farm; 4. Bell Hop, Chuck Ackerman.

Lightweight conformation hunters - 1. Waiting Home; 2. Baby Seal, Shawnee Farm; 3. Silverminer, Mr. & Mrs. Ernest Mahler; 4. Miss Warlock.

Middle & heavyweight conformation hunters - 1. Spanish Mint, Mrs. J. Deane Rucker; 2. Seveven, Mr. & Mrs. Andrew Shinkle; 3. Jack Blandford; 4. Shannondale.

Lightweight working hunters - 1. Atom Power, Dr. John Gadd; 2. Barstow, Alan Connell; 3. Sir Mokatan; 4. Haymarket, Alan Connell.

Middle & heavyweight working - 1. Bronze Wing; 2. Best Luck, Mrs. T. Kenneth Ellis; 3. Vome, Mr. & Mrs. Walter Wickes, Jr.; 4. Bold Ann, Mr. & Mrs. Dudley Williams. Junior open hunters - 1. Windward, Mountain Glen Farm; 2. Besiege; 3. April Dawn, Jr. Equitation School; 4. French Maid, Patricia Connors.

PHA open jumpers - 1. Miss Virginia, George DiPaula; 2.

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A noteworthy innovation at the Aachen (Germany) Show was the class for judges, under the direction of the Equestrian Federation's famous Baron de Trannoy, held during dressage competitions. Among those invited to join the class were three from North America. James Jones of Detroit, Hermann Friedlaender of California and Captain Rodolphe Lafond of the Canadian Olympic Dressage Team, who will make his future home in Santa Barbara, California. Foreground, right to left: James Jones, Rodolphe Lafond and Baron de Trannoy.



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3-year-old conformation hunters - 1. Camada; 2. Take Command; 3. Skipper's Fate, Shawnee Farm; 4. Sir Trouble.

4-year-old & over green conformation - 1. Corpond; 2. Skinner; 3. Adopt Me; 4. Duke of Paconian.

3-year-old green working hunters - 1. Blue Who, Betty Beryl Schenk; 2. Our Delight, Shawnee Farm; 3. Kimberbel, Kimberbel Farm.

4-year-old & over green working - 1. Rule of Thumb; 2. Biltmore's Pride; 3. Equigold, Mr. & Mrs. Walter Wickes, Jr.; 4. Laurel Ridge.

Modified F. E. L. - 1. Kangaroo, Alan Connell; 2. Kimberbel Vike; 3. War Eagle, New Hope Farm; 4. Spinning Time.

Open working hunters - 1. Bronze Wing; 2. Copperfield; 3. Tuffy, Mr. & Mrs. K. M. Bruce; 4. Little Trip, Lakelawn Farm.

Junior hunters under saddle - 1. Cataclysmic; 2. Son Imp; 3. Short Circuit; 4. Little Craft, Terry Yates.

Bonus points class - 1. Gin Rickey, Wally Holly; 2. Tania; 3. Riviera Wonder; 4. War Eagle; 5. Lariat; 6. Spinning Time.

Open conformation hunters - 1. Waiting Home; 2. Sun Dial, Lakelawn Farm; 3. Halo Miss, Mr. & Mrs. S. H. Rogers, Jr.; 4. Jack Blandford.

Open green working hunters - 1. Rule of Thumb; 2. Biltmore's Pride; 3. Riviera Boy; 4. Beau Yeaux.

Working hunter appointments - 1. Bronze Wing; 2. Kimberbel; 3. Copperfield; 4. Tuffy.

Open green conformation hunters - 1. Out of Print; 2. Camada; 3. Skinner; 4. Take Command.

Conformation hunter appointments - 1. Spanish Mint; 2. Miss Warlock; 3. Sun Dial; 4. Waiting Home.

Working hunters under saddle - 1. Journey Proud, Shawnee Farm; 2. Apt Pupil, Mrs. Warner Atkins; 3. Atom Power; 4. Little Trip.

Conformation hunters under saddle - 1. Shannondale; 2. Sun Dial; 3. Silverminer; 4. Ripple Boy, Boginod Farm.

Touch & out (2nd day) - 1. Spinning Time; 2. Moonspring, Ormond Biltmore Stables; 3. Riviera Wonder; 4. Bell Hop.

Two-day touch & out high score award - 1. Spinning Time; 2. Riviera Wonder; 3. Moonspring; 4. Bell Hop.

Owner's class - 1. Besiege; 2. Rule of Thumb; 3. Downwind, Boginod Farm; 4. Laurel Ridge.

Junior hunting attire - 1. April Dawn; 2. Ragmop, Watts

Humphrey; 3. Gay Streak, Glennie Reynolds; 4. Windward. Ladies conformation hunters - 1. Silverminer; 2. Shannondale; 3. Sun Dial; 4. Halo Miss.

Ladies working hunter - 1. Bronze Wing; 2. Tuffy; 3. Journey Proud; 4. Kimberbel.

Model ponies - 1. Pretty Penny, Parnell Gore; 2. More Better, Ann & Billy Doyle; 3. Storm Peak, Mountain Glen Farm; 4. Sarissa, Michael Wickes.

Small ponies under saddle - 1. Blue Belle, Ann & Billy Doyle; 2. Storm Peak; 3. Pretty Penny; 4. More Better.

Large ponies under saddle - 1. Downwind; 2. Mishief Maker, Boginod Farm; 3. Minnie Mouse, Smokey Nelms; 4. Indy Sue, Harold Britz.

Small ponies over jumps - 1. Pretty Penny; 2. Blue Belle; 3. Johnny Cake, Waverly Farm; 4. More Better.

Large ponies over jumps - 1. Indy Sue; 2. Snowman, Beverly Harrison; 3. Stinger, George L. Ohrstrom, Jr.; 4. Moon Beam, Bobby & Gary Gardner.

Junior hunter stake - 1. Son Imp; 2. Short Circuit; 3. Tara's Theme, Marcia McCordle; 4. April Dawn; 5. Windward.

Small pony working hunter - 1. Snowman; 2. Stinger; 3. Indy Sue; 4. Mishief Maker.

Small pony hunting attire - 1. Johnny Cake; 2. Pretty Penny; 3. Blue Belle; 4. Easter Morning, Diedre Symington.

Large pony hunting attire - 1. Indy Sue; 2. Snowman; 3. Moonbeam; 4. Mishief Maker.

Open pony stake - 1. Pretty Penny; 2. Johnny Cake; 3. Storm Peak; 4. More Better; 5. Blithe Spirit.

Yearlings suitable to become hunters - 1. Entry, Waverly Farm; 2. Entry, Forest Taylor; 3. Entry, Delmar Twyman; 4. Entry John S. Pettibone.

VHA high score award (2-yr.-olds) - 1. Hapgood, John S. Pettibone; 2. Entry, Mrs. Morton W. Smith; 3. Lone Scholar, Mrs. C. McGhee Baxter; 4. Entry, Homestead Stable.

Racing type under 3 yrs. - 1. Entry, Delmar Twyman; 2. Hapgood; 3. Entry, Forest Taylor; 4. Entry.

Racing type 3 yrs. & over - 1. Extra, Mrs. Fay Ingalls; 2. Atom Power; 3. Adopt Me; 4. Skipper's Fate.

Green working stake - 1. Silhouette; 2. Blue Who; 3. Riviera Boy; 4. Beau Yeaux; 5. Biltmore's Pride.

Green conformation stake - 1. Bit O' Honey; 2. Sir Trouble; 3. Skinner; 4. Skipper's Fate; 5. Duke of Paconian.

Open jumper stake - 1. Gin Rickey; 2. Miss Virginia; 3. Riviera Wonder; 4. Bell Hop; 5. Bustar Bar, Alan Connell; 6. Spinning Time.

Working hunter stake - 1. Copperfield; 2. Little Trip; 3. Bold Ann; 4. Bronze Wing; 5. Journey Proud.

Conformation hunter stake - 1. Waiting Home; 2. Shannondale; 3. Spanish Mint; 4. Jack Blandford; 5. Miss Warlock.

## THE CHRONICLE

### WISCONSIN STATE FAIR

CORRESPONDENT: Mildred I. Starr.

PLACE: Milwaukee, Wis.

TIME: August 2-5.

JUDGE: Fred Pinch.

HUNTER CH: Poppy, George W. Jayne.

RES: Avon Girl, Linda Swanson.

JUMPER CH: Show Down, Roy Wiberg.

RES: The Possum, Marilyn Farms.

#### SUMMARIES:

Open working hunter - 1. Poppy, George W. Jayne; 2. Fortune Hunter, Wilson Denney; 3. Cashmere, Marilyn Farms; 4. Dark Secret, Roy L. Wiberg.

Touch & out - 1. Countryside Lane, George W. Jayne; 2. Show Down, Roy L. Wiberg; 3. The Possum, Marilyn Farms; 4. Chief Toon-ach, Verne Dapp.

Wisconsin children's equitation, 17 yrs. & under - 1. J. J. Cramer; 2. Ann Willett Fallon; 3. Hunter Barney; 4. Sherry Gerber; 5. Caryl Manhardt; 6. Paulette Kallas.

Ladies working hunter - 1. Fortune Hunter; 2. Avon Girl, Linda Swanson; 3. Poppy; 4. Windy Day, Trudi Peet.

Open jumper - 1. Countryside Lane; 2. Poppy; 3. Show Down; 4. Sandstorm, Lou-Don Farm.

Working hunter hack - 1. Fortune Hunter; 2. Avon Girl; 3. Cashmere; 4. Windy Day.

Children's novice equitation, 17 yrs & under - 1. Susan Ensminger; 2. J. J. Cramer; 3. Ann Willett Fallon; 4. Dianne Davis; 5. Sally Spicer; 6. Hunter Barney.

Knock down & out - 1. Show Down; 2. Poppy; 3. Chief Toon-ach; 4. Countryside Lane.

F. E. L. jumping - 1. Mr. Automatic, Ten Pin Farm; 2. Amigo, Mr. & Mrs. J. A. Bricker; 3. Countryside Lane; 4. Poppy.

Handy working hunter - 1. Dark Secret; 2. Cashmere; 3. Fortune Hunter; 4. Bwana, Mr. & Mrs. Sidney Friedlander.

Corinthian working hunter - 1. Avon Girl; 2. Fortune Hunter; 3. Cindy, Sally Field; 4. Timberling, Trudi Peet.

Jumpers, 5 ft. - 1. Poppy; 2. Countryside Lane; 3. Chief Toon-ach; 4. Show Down.

Triple bar class - 1. Mr. Automatic; 2. Chief Toon-ach; 3. Show Down; 4. Sandstorm.

Championship working hunter stake - 1. Poppy; 2. Avon Girl; 3. Cashmere; 4. Fortune Hunter; 5. Bwana; 6. Dark Secret.

Championship jumper stake - 1. Show Down; 2. The Possum; 3. Poppy; 4. Happy Day, Ten Pin Farm; 5. Countryside Lane; 6. Bay Mystery, Ten Pin Farm.

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## PEBBLE BEACH

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secretary.

PLACE: Pebble Beach, Calif.

TIME: August 3-5.

JUDGES: Col. F. W. Koester, Edith Magee.

EQUITATION CH: Tom Bunn.

RES: Dobbie Coleman.

CHILDREN'S CH: Really Rusty, Leigh Wheeler.

RES: Bobby K, Ronnie Jurow.

GREEN CONFORMATION HUNTER CH: Hidden Mystery, Mrs. Alex Sysin.

RES: Amour, Blakiston Ranch.

WORKING HUNTER CH: Jingle Bells, Artesia Stock Farms.

RES: Cupidon, Rudy Smithers.

CONFORMATION HUNTER CH: Suggestion, Myra Moss.

RES: Reno Tew Doo, Artesia Stock Farms.

JUMPER CH: Orphan Lad, Tom Bunn.

RES: Hopalong, Rudy Smithers.

## SUMMARIES:

Equitation over fences - 1. Jim Head; 2. Francisca Brackenridge; 3. Mike McWilliams; 4. Suzanne Head.

Children's jumpers - 1. Ticker Tape, Francisca Brackenridge; 2. Easter Bummy, Dawn Smith; 3. Igor, Herman Friedlander; 4. Miz Moss, Matt Day.

Children's jumpers - 1. Quaker, Rosita Pellas; 2. Frosty Dawn, Sherrell Burwell; 3. Sam Magee, Sandra Sherman; 4. Margie, Artesia Stock Farms.

Maiden conformation hunters - 1. Tom Terpin, Mrs. James M. Tucker; 2. Wexford, Robert C. Lawson; 3. Hidden Mystery, Mrs. Alex Sysin; 4. Pal Play, G. M. Mott. Equitation, 8-11 yrs. - 1. Mary Mairs; 2. Wendy Mairs; 3. Natalie Stewart; 4. Matt Day.

Limit working hunters - 1. Jingle Bells, Artesia Stock Farms; 2. Cupidon, Rudy Smithers; 3. Miss Butch, Camille Stahl; 4. Camptown Lady, Artesia Stock Farms. Conformation hunter hack - 1. Conversation, Sandy Swayze; 2. Reno Tew Doo, Artesia Stock Farms; 3. Miss Butch; 4. Safe Conduct, Dale O'Banion.

Jumpers ridden by amateur - 1. Orphan Lad, Thomas Bunn Farms; 2. Mr. Jazz, Artesia Stock Farms; 3. Hopalong, Rudy Smithers; 4. Gambler's Choice, Mrs. O. Price. Children's conformation hunters - 1. Fancy Free, Dobbie Coleman; 2. Bobby K, Ronnie Jurow; 3. Really Rusty, Leigh Wheeler; 4. Virginia, Dr. Tom Harris.

Model conformation hunters - 1. Suggestion, Myra Moss; 2. Blaney, Myra Moss; 3. Reno Tew Doo; 4. Pal Play. Green model hunters - 1. Wexford; 2. Pal Play; 3. Hidden Mystery; 4. Country Girl, Mills Riding School.

Pairs - 1. Ticker Tape, Trustful, Mrs. S. M. Archer, Jr. 2. Tommy's Pride, Mills Riding School, Country Girl; 3. Fancy Free, Igor; 4. Really Rusty, Foggy Morn, Barbara Church.

Children's hunter hacks - 1. Really Rusty; 2. Fancy Free; 3. Camptown Lady; 4. Margie.

Handy working hunters - 1. All Mio, Margot Williams; 2. Tiffany, Jeanne Menken; 3. Jingle Bells; 4. Cupidon. Equitation, 15-18 yrs. - 1. Tom Bunn; 2. Camille Stahl; 3. Francisca Brackenridge; 4. Judy Havas.

Open jumpers - 1. Hopalong; 2. Shane, Artesia Stock Farms; 3. Orphan Lad; 4. Gambler's Choice.

AHSA dressage test b-2 - 1. Fancy Free; 2. Miss Butch; 3. Tommy's Pride; 4. Bobby K.

Children's conformation hunters - 1. Bobby K; 2. Really Rusty; 3. Camptown Lady; 4. Wood King, R. W. Mairs. Open conformation hunters - 1. Suggestion; 2. Blaney; 3. Reno Tew Doo; 4. All Mio.

Equitation, 12-14 yrs. - 1. Dobbie Coleman; 2. Harry Pattee; 3. Susan Leary; 4. Dale O'Banion.

Equitation over fences - 1. Leigh Wheeler; 2. Ronnie Jurow; 3. Dobbie Coleman; 4. Mary Mairs; 5. Susan Leary. Green conformation hunters - 1. Amour, Blakiston Ranch; 2. All Mio; 3. Camptown Lady; 4. Wexford.

Working hunter hacks - 1. Safe Conduct; 2. Miss Pebble, Ernie Simard; 3. Ricochet, Sam Register; 4. Miss Butch. Knock down &amp; out - 1. Orphan Lad; 2. Foggy Morn; 3. Gambler's Choice.

Children's working hunters - 1. D-Day, Kemmer Kimball; 2. Bobby K; 3. Chicquita, Gene Pendergast; 4. Quaker. Working hunter stake - 1. Jingle Bells; 2. Camptown Lady; 3. Miss Butch; 4. Cupidon; 5. Thomas J, Mrs. Philip Davies; 6. Tiffany.

Novice conformation hunters - 1. Hidden Mystery; 2. Honorable Mention, C. C. Moore; 3. All Mio; 4. Camptown Lady.

Conformation hunter ridden by an amateur - 1. Reno Tew Doo; 2. Peg O'Herron; 3. Suggestion; 4. Double Scotch, Ronald Stolic.

Equitation under 8 yrs. - 1. Debbie Davis; 2. Nancy Upjohn; 3. Bruce McNaghten; 4. Pan Hatley.

Jumping test - 1. Miss Butch; 2. Fancy Free; 3. Thomas J; 4. Miss Pebble.

Jumper stake - 1. Gambler's Choice; 2. Hopalong; 3. Mr. Jazz; 4. Orphan Lad; 5. Shane; 6. Fair Trade, Col. Alex Sysin.

PHA medal class - 1. Fancy Free; 2. Bobby K; 3. Miss Pebble; 4. Thomas J.

Dressage medium test - 1. Tom Terpin; 2. Trustful; 3. Tiffany.

Equitation - 1. Mrs. S. M. Archer, Jr.; 2. Mrs. S. C. Register; 3. Mary Anne Moore; 4. Ivan Brevai; 5. Mrs. H. Bocksthaler.

Children's working hunters - 1. Really Rusty; 2. D-Day; 3. Wood King; 4. Fancy Free.

Green conformation hunter hacks - 1. Hidden Mystery; 2. Camptown Lady; 3. Conversation; 4. Gallant Storm, Georgene Dovolis.

Conformation hunter appointment class - 1. Double Scotch; 2. Suggestion; 3. Reno Tew Doo; 4. Peg O'Herron, Mrs. S. C. Register.

AHSA medal class - 1. Leigh Wheeler; 2. Dobbie Coleman; 3. Ernie Simard; 4. Camille Stahl; 5. Susan Leary. Scurry jumpers - 1. Orphan Lad; 2. Jingle Bells; 3. Mr. Jazz; 4. Gambler's Choice.

Family class - 1. Mairs Family; 2. Head Family; 3. Davies Family; 4. Rose Family.

Green conformation hunter stake - 1. Amour; 2. All Mio; 3. Hidden Mystery; 4. Camptown Lady; 5. Gallant Storm; 6. Conversation.

Conformation hunter stake - 1. Suggestion; 2. Reno Tew Doo; 3. Blaney; 4. Honorable Mention; 5. Peg O'Herron; 6. Amour.

Working hunter appointments class - 1. Cupidon; 2. All Mio; 3. Ricochet; 4. Thomas J.

Modified Olympic - 1. Orphan Lad; 2. Mr. Jazz; 3. Hopalong; 4. Cupidon.

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## U. S. E. T. BENEFIT HORSE SHOW

CORRESPONDENT: Katie Blitwin.

PLACE: Denver, Colorado.

TIME: July 5-8.

JUDGE: Col. Charles A. Symroski.

OPEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Star Quest, Dion Dana.

RES: Gipsy Hill, Mrs. David M. Davis.

MAIDEN WORKING HUNTER CH: Smoky Night, Susan Phipps.

RES: (tied) Eternal Play, Dan Wills, Lursole, Ellie Crockett.

JUMPER CH: Gipsy Hill, Mrs. David M. Davis.

RES: Booger Red, Karen Phipps.

JUNIOR CH: Jan Karabin.

RES: Diana Sweet.

## SUMMARIES

USET equitation medal class, dressage phase - 1. Sandy Phipps; 2. Marta Phipps; 3. Karen Phipps; 4. Sherry McMurry; 5. Susan Dukes.

USET equitation medal class, jumping phase - 1. Sandy Phipps; 2. Karen Phipps; 3. Sherry McMurry; 4. Marta

Phipps; 5. Susan Dukes.

Maiden handy working hunter - 1. Smoky Night, Susan Dukes; 2. Lursole, Ellie Crockett; 3. Kio-Ora, Mrs. Sam Scott; 4. Ebony, Ted Schaffer.

Open working hunter hack - 1. Nocteen, Reginald Sinclair; 2. Firebird, Jan Szmigier; 3. Star Quest, Dion Dana; 4. Judge Finn, Mr. &amp; Mrs. Herbert Goldstein.

English pairs, junior - 1. Royal Repulse, CaroMcMurtry, Reno Prankish, Arapahoe Riding Club; 2. Sice Gin, Arapahoe Riding Club, Jackie, Arapahoe Riding Club; 3. Belle, Arapahoe Riding Club, Rex, Arapahoe Riding Club; 4. Prairie Posie, Arapahoe Riding Club, Kio-Ora.

Pairs of hunters, tandem - 1. Smoky Night, Royal Repulse; 2. Nocteen, Heel Cry, Mrs. John Paulk; 3. Eternal Play, Dan Wills, Carry Over, Mrs. D. M. Davis; 4. Kio-Ora, Prairie Posie.

Maiden jumper - 1. Booger Red, Karen Phipps; 2. Star Quest; 3. Navy Chief, Sherry McMurry; 4. The Gambler, Bud Lutesinger.

ASPCA medal class, MacClay - 1. Sherry McMurry; 2. Karen Phipps; 3. Sandy Phipps; 4. Susan Dukes; 5. Marta Phipps.

Junior handy hunter - 1. Kio-Ora; 2. Stormy Wilcox, Genie Hoag; 3. Brutus, Arapahoe Riding Club; 4. Juan, Jan Karabin.

Maiden working hunter hack - 1. Sue to U, Harriet Markus; 2. Heel Cry; 3. Smoky Night; 4. Eternal Play.

Open handy working hunter - 1. Star Quest; 2. Booger Red; 3. Navy Chief; 4. Firebird.

Modified Olympic jumping - 1. Gipsy Hill, Mrs. David M. Davis; 2. Booger Red; 3. Navy Chief; 4. Hawk Eye, Howard Robinson.

Teams of 3 hunters, tandem - 1. Nocizen, Heel Cry, Gipsy Hill; 2. Smoky Night, Kio-Ora, Royal Repulse; 3. Lursole, Juan, Eternal Play.

Children's hunter hack - 1. Juan; 2. Lursole; 3. Stormy Wilcox; 4. Kio-Ora.

Open working hunter - 1. Star Quest; 2. Gipsy; 3. Booger Red; 4. Crion, Mrs. Ranger Rogers.

Hunter seat horsemanship - 1. Gertrude Grant; 2. Peggy Tams; 3. Diana Sweet; 4. Susan Catherwood; 5. Fredericka Bransby.

Relay team jumping - 1. Hawk Eye, Rocket, Bud Lutesinger; 2. Red Buttons, Donald Myerson, The Gambler; 3. Booger Red, El Capitan, Marta Phipps; 4. Brutus, Firebird. Gamblers class - 1. The Gambler; 2. Red Buttons; 3. Rocket; 4. Hawk Eye.

AHSA medal class, hunting seat - 1. Karen Phipps; 2. Susan Dukes; 3. Ellie Crockett; 4. Sandy Phipps; 5. Jan Karabin.

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bin.  
Horsemanship, 11 & under - 1. Nancy Catherwood; 2. Betty Jane McCullough; 3. Cynthia Freeman; 4. Carol Stampfli; 5. Lucy Catherwood.  
Maiden working hunter stake - 1. Eternal Play; 2. Lursolo; 3. Brutus; 4. El Capitan; 5. Smoky Night.  
Open working hunter stake - 1. Star Quest; 2. Gipsy Hill; 3. Royal Salute; 4. Firebird; 5. Booger Red.  
Junior working hunter - 1. Juan; 2. Kio-Ora; 3. Royal Re-pulse; 4. Little Pete, Mason Morfit, Jr.  
Hunter stake - 1. Gipsy Hill; 2. (tied) Booger Red, Rocket; 4. The Gambler; 5. Red Buttons.

**BOOTS AND SADDLE CLUB (1956) BENEFIT**

CORRESPONDENT: D. U. Sheldon.  
PLACE: Rhinebeck, N.Y.  
TIME: June 2.  
JUDGE: Alex Forman.  
HUNTER CH: Pearl Harbor, Mrs. William H. Kay, Jr.  
RES: Donegal, Bettina Balding.  
PONY CH: Southlands Misdeal, Beverly Burke.  
RES: Malaya, James Morse.  
SUMMARIES:  
Model hunter - 1. Pearl Harbor, Mrs. William H. Kay, Jr.; 2. Anemione, Mrs. William H. Kay, Jr.; 3. Charm, Emily Harding; 4. Pitchers Pride, Mrs. Kay Henning.  
Children's horsemanship over jumps - 1. Sally Williams; 2. Robert Kay; 3. Linda Wheeler.  
Model pony - 1. Southlands Misdeal, Beverly Burke; 2. Kaisong, Southland Farms; 3. Gimlet, Lois Gillette; 4. Marak, James Morse.  
Children's horsemanship on the flat - 1. Sally Williams; 2. Robert Kay; 3. Linda Wheeler.  
Pony hacks - 1. Kaisong; 2. Marak; 3. Kardu, Mary Lee Lane.  
Junior working hunter - 1. Pearl Harbor; 2. Southlands Misdeal; 3. Malaya, James Morse; 4. First Bid, Sally Williams.  
Junior horsemanship on the flat - 1. William H. Kay, 3rd; 2. Mary Ann Banyo; 3. Emily Harding; 4. Mary Lu Wade; 5. James Morse; 6. Mary Lee Lane.  
Pony working hunters - 1. Southlands Misdeal; 2. Malaya; 3. Roulette, Southland Farms; 4. Gimlet.  
Junior horsemanship over jumps - 1. Beverly Burke; 2. Mary Ann Banyo; 3. James Morse; 4. Lois Gillette.  
Bridle path hacks - 1. Anemione; 2. Red Cap, Mary Ann Banyo; 3. Kardu; 4. Beau Bantam, Sally Asher.  
English trail horse - 1. Red Cap; 2. Kardu.  
Open jumper - 1. Lancer, Richmond Meyers; 2. Midnight Raid, John Melville; 3. Pearl Harbor; 4. Gold Piece, Charles Lang.  
Handy hunters - Midnight Raid; 2. Pearl Harbor; 3. Donegal, Bettina Balding; 4. Lancer.  
Bareback horsemanship - 1. Mary Ann Banyo; 2. James Morse; 3. Beverly Burke; 4. Emily Harding; 5. Mary Lee Lane; 6. Gail Quinn.  
Open working hunter - 1. Donegal; 2. Bay Boy, Aurelia Garland; 3. Midnight Raid; 4. Pearl Harbor.  
Hunter stake - 1. Pearl Harbor; 2. Donegal; 3. Bay Boy; 4. Lancer.  
Pony working hunter hacks - 1. Southlands Misdeal; 2. Malaya; 3. Gimlet; 4. Roulette.  
Working hunter hacks - 1. Midnight Raid; 2. Pearl Harbor; 3. Second Son; 4. Charm.  
Pony stake - 1. Southlands Misdeal; 2. Malaya; 3. Gimlet; 4. Roulette.

**WEST LAMPETER**

CORRESPONDENT: Margaret L. Smith.  
PLACE: Lampeter, Pa.  
TIME: August 11.  
JUDGE: George Person, Jr.  
SUMMARIES:  
Lead-line pony - 1. Tag Along, Linda Lee Devertier; 2. Buddy, Jesse & Artie Keen.  
Children's horsemanship, 13 yrs. & under - 1. Queenelle Mine; 2. Judith Ann Twigg; 3. Karen Caddell; 4. Janet Hanshaw.  
Children's horsemanship, 14-18 yrs. - 1. Helen Burt Showalter; 2. Carole E. Nolt; 3. Diane Lee Poticher; 4. Johanne Hess.  
ASHA medal class - 1. Helen Burt Showalter; 2. Queenelle Mine; 3. Carole E. Nolt; 4. Judith Ann Twigg.  
Jumping, inside course - 1. Sir Lancelot, Karen Caddell; 2. Bold Traveller, Janet Hanshaw; 3. Apache Flame, Karen Caddell.  
Hunter stake - 1. Bold Traveller; 2. Apache Flame; 3. Sir Lancelot.  
Hunter hack - 1. Bold Traveller; 2. Apache Flame.

**OTTAWA VALLEY LIGHT HORSE ASSOCIATION**

CORRESPONDENT: Show Secretary.  
PLACE: Aylmer, Quebec, Canada.  
TIME: June 2.  
SUMMARIES:  
Road hack - 1. I Suppose, Mr. & Mrs. G. Perley-Robertson; 2. Fingal Kan, L. T. Porter; 3. Tommy Lad, Joan McKibbin; 4. Napanee, Carolann Clark.  
Best child's turnout - 1. Captain Midnight, Jean Hurdman; 2. Connie, Audrey Boyd.  
Green hunter - 1. Thornhill, Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Lancaster; 2. Spindrift, Dorothy Leggett; 3. April Showers, Fred McLean; 4. Lady Jane, Lt. Col. H. A. McKibbin.  
Working hunter - 1. Pedro, L. T. Porter; 2. Gypsy Devil, Phyllis Maybury; 3. Tamarack, Mr. & Mrs. G. Perley-Robertson; 4. Highcrest, Mac McLean.  
Open jumping - 1. Forest Echo, A. & F. Farm; 2. Sun-rocket, Mr. & Mrs. W. D. Lancaster; 3. Fiddler's Fling, Justin D. Bogue; 4. Diana Kap, L. T. Porter.  
Open hunter - 1. Pedro; 2. Gypsy Devil; 3. Tamarack; 4. Diana Kan.  
Hunter stake - 1. Pedro; 2. Fingal Kan; 3. Gypsy Devil; 4. Tamarack.  
Jumping stake - 1. Forest Echo; 2. Highcrest; 3. Sun-rocket; 4. Spring, Pat Leach.  
Hunter hack - 1. Chop Up, Helen Chamberlin; 2. Thornhill; 3. Spindrift; 4. Tamarack.  
Special Pony Club class, equitation for D members - 1. Susan Hamilton; 2. Carolann Clark; 3. Heather Blaine.  
Special Pony Club class, equitation for C members - 1. B. McKibbin; 2. Joan McKibbin; 3. Sarah Jennings; 4. Joanna Garland.

**BUBBLING BROOK**

CORRESPONDENT: Elaine Black.  
PLACE: Reynoldsburg, Ohio.  
TIME: Aug. 12.  
HUNTER CH: Tellabit, Anne Johnston.  
RES: Copper Man, Chestnut Oak Farm.  
JUMPER CH: Donegal, Kay Allen.  
RES: Pop Up, Marilyn Michel.  
JUNIOR CH: Mighty Mite, Chestnut Oak Farm.  
RES: Jan-Sue, L. L. Davis.  
SUMMARIES:  
Green jumper - 1. Two Per Cent, Dr. & Mrs. Ray E. Lupp; 2. By Pass, Judy Durschnitt; 3. Whirlwing, John J. Zettler; 4. Elizea Red, Sandra Nowacki.  
Green working hunter - 1. Sea Tramp, Mrs. Sallie J. Sexton; 2. Alan, Dennis O'Keefe; 3. Two Per Cent; 4. Coquette, Chestnut Oak Farm.  
Junior horsemanship, under 18 yrs. - 1. Peggy Curley; 2. Julie Durschnitt; 3. Sally Davis.

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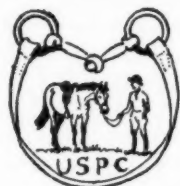
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## Pony Club Regional Rally

Where is my stock pin - Jim, you must hurry, you are due in the dressage ring in just eleven minutes, lend me your curb chain, Peggy, I've lost mine - Don, don't forget to jump number nine in the cross country way over to the left. You remember that hole. - Boy, this Melton is hot - What time is Stadium Jumping - Did you see that real brick wall - Oh Princess, please stand still.

These were some of the sounds coming out of the stable at the south's first regional heartache, the stress under pressure and the fine teamwork of all the participants. Nashville's Middle Tennessee Pony Club veteran riders swept to a clean one, two victory. Scoring a total of 1601 5/6 points, the MTPC Team No. 2 beat out its running mates on Team No. 1 by only a fraction of a point. Believe it or not, out of a possible scoring of 2000 points there was only 5/12 of a points difference between them. Coached by Olympic rider Colonel Earl Thompson both teams produced workmanlike performances in all departments. They were pushed by Chattanooga's all boy riders who were only 36 points behind. Montgomery's very junior team (average age of only 10 years) gave a good account of themselves against the older riders by placing fourth with a total of 1507 points. Mede Cahaba and Atlanta were close on their heels. Atlanta suffered the nightmare of every rally rider when all three of its members were eliminated in the Roads and Trails phase for losing the course.

The level of the dressage phase was a bit low and the lack of competition in this event tells on all of us. Colonel Jake Moon talked to the whole group during the afternoon following the rally and pointed out that rides were generally not crisp and precise enough and mostly were on the lethargic side.

The cross country course was beautifully laid out, with the first third over very trappy country which made pacing it for the 18 mile an hour clip very tricky. Jumps were of a wide variety and included a water jump across a branch from a higher to a lower bank, two bank jumps - one up and one down, and several ditches with poles, as well as the usual post and rails, stone walls and panels more commonly seen. The

course called for bold but collected riding in the trappy first third and then a strong show of speed in the final two thirds. Eliminations were few but overtime penalties were many.

The roads and trails course of 3.3 miles at 8 miles an hour was purely a judge of pace competition. Riders within ten seconds over or under were awarded the 100 point maximum. Time over or under the ten second leeway was penalized at a fifth of a point per second. Scores on this 22-minute ride were surprisingly good and reflected the careful study of pace the ride was designed to require.

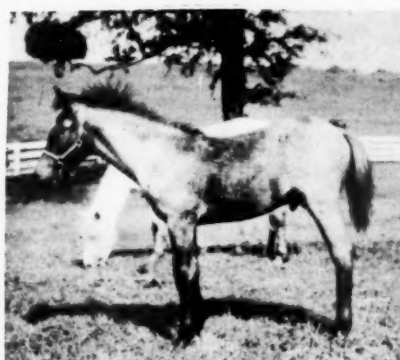
The written phase consisted of a hundred questions on subjects ranging from veterinary knowledge, through horseshoeing to stable management. Grades on these tests

were with few exceptions most gratifying. They showed good preparation for the rally and regional supervisors were high in their praise of the youngsters theoretical knowledge.

Stadium jumping for the horses included 12 jumps with the height of all vertical jumps set at 3-6 and the jumps with spread at 3-3. All were lowered to 3 ft. for the ponies. Time allowed was 1:15 when jumped at the 350 yard per minute speed. Jumps 8, 9 and 10 were a barrel under a pole, a real brick wall, and a trakena, and these were the troublemakers. The jumps were beautifully constructed International style obstacles of a quality seldom seen in this country and the horses and ponies accustomed to run of the mill show jumping were inclined to be timid when put at the course.

While individual scoring was de-emphasized in favor of team competition, special mention should be made of Jackie McGauley of the Chattanooga Team who won both dressage and cross country events, and placed first in overall individual scoring. Following McGauley's 412 points, in the overall, was Boyce Magli of Middle Tenn-

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## A \$5,000 CONNEMARA IN THE MAKING.

Because of his fine conformation, Thoroughbred-type neck etc., it is believed by his handler Emmett Roberts, that this 5 month old suckling will be a show pony of very high calibre. Besides his lovely steel blue color, he has the kind and friendly disposition which is so outstanding in all of the CONNEMARA breed, and his type and conformation being so perfect, it is felt by Roberts that this individual will be worth a much higher price than the \$2,000.00 he was paid by Mr. Harold Shaffer, of Phila., Penna., for the first CONNEMARA to be taken to Penna. to be shown by his son in the Penna. shows. The grey filly MUFFIN was bought by Mr. Shaffer after having won the "reserve" at the fine Timonium show. That being only the fourth time MUFFIN had ever been shown, it naturally makes one feel pretty certain she too will progress to be one of the better ones showing. This suckling is the full brother to MUFFIN, having been bred by the late Mr. George L. Ohrstrom, of The Plains, Va., who imported the first lot of the fine CONNEMARA-breed to this country in 1950, for the purpose of having what he learned to be the kindest dispositioned pony there was, for his grandchildren to learn to ride properly on. None of this breed has been for sale before, but since the Ohrstrom estate is using the sires and dams imported by Mr. Ohrstrom for breeding purposes, it has been decided by Mrs. Ohrstrom to let some of them be sold since they at this time have a few more than they need.

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essee with 404 in second place and Wendy Morris of Montgomery, 398 in third place.

Special credit goes to Atlanta District Commissioner John Callaway and his right hand man Morgan Lewis for their Herculean labors in building courses, box stalls and in making all arrangements. Pony Clubbers also enjoyed the Lewis pool just up the road from the site of the rally. It was here too that the barbecue, "Geawgia" style, with brunswick stew, climaxed the activities. The cake had the complete stadium jumping course in white atop the black icing and those unlucky ones who came a cropper were allowed to eat the jump that caused the trouble. Spirits were high after the awards had been made and the riding captain of the winning team, Boyce Magli, found himself sailing through the air fully clothed to land kerplunk in the middle of the pool. Buddy Griggs, the other boy rider on the team and the instigator of the affair, was convulsed with laughter only to find himself swimming out alongside Boyce. Only reason that Cecelie Puryear didn't get tossed in too was that she already had on a bathing suit. As the sun set and the underwater lights of the pool cast their cool glow on the relaxed and happy faces of pony clubbers and their parents, all agreed that a rally in Atlanta is one fine way to have fun.

#### FIRST NORTHWEST RALLY

First working rally, of the Tri-county Pony Club, operating in and around the Portland, Oregon, area, was held July 23rd in the infield of the Portland Hunt Club. This is the first Pony Club in the Northwest area and the group has been received with much enthusiasm by parents and children alike.

An hour-long session of instruction was held by District Commissioners Mrs. David C. Mayer and Miss Geraldine Pearson. After the instruction, the group adjourned to a picnic supper with parents and friends. This was followed by games for the different age groups. A short meeting was then called and the next rally is scheduled for August 6th at the home of Mr. and Mrs. James A. McGregor. G.P.

#### LOYALHANNA HORSE AND PONY SHOW

There were many new faces in the exhibitors ranks at the Eleventh Annual Loyalhanna Horse and Pony Show. The Wayne-Dupage and the Genesee Pony Club Teams stayed over from the Regional Pony Rally and gave plenty of good competition.

Nancy Hamill of Wayne, Ill., was judged top rider of the show.

Mrs. Bedford made the Horsemanship classes very interesting by having each child vary his round.

The Sportsmanship Award at the end of the show for the youngster displaying the greatest amount of sportsmanship, horsemanship, courtesy and friendliness both in and out of the ring. This was won for the second consecutive year by Penny Kim.



#### Pony Club Bulletin

It has been brought to our attention by several Masters of Foxhounds that some of our Pony Club instructors seem to be

digressing from our original Pony Club principle - that of a happy, confident child on an equally happy, confident and alert horse, riding across a natural country in a natural way.

First of all, we should like to point out to all of you who are interested in the Pony Club and give so selflessly of your time to it, the very definite danger of overdoing the work in a ring or manege, without a compensatory period of fun and relaxation. All work and no play may gradually end in discouragement.

Secondly, while it is understandable that in this Olympic year some of our instructors and Pony Club officials are inclined to throw additional stress on Olympic preparation, we must not let this upset our balanced program of healthy fun with, and love of, horses. The age of members limits their participation in such events requiring maturity and judgment. We are singularly fortunate in most sections of the United States in having a long season when fox-hunting and cross-country riding are possible. We are not limited to indoor riding, and therefore should not limit the children's opportunities to enjoy the countryside on their ponies. It was, and is, one of the cardinal principles of the Pony Club to encourage this natural relationship. Just how natural and how basic is this urge to ride and to hunt is best illustrated by the number of new hunts being formed and recognized in all sections of the United States.

Let us continue our balanced program of schooling in a ring, cross-country riding and foxhunting knowledge. This latter involves the study of nature, wild-life, hounds, weather, etc., as well as good manners, good sense, courage and regard for others. Of basic concern to the Pony Club is the love and care of horses and ponies. The happy child is a relaxed one, and the happy horse is well-cared for.

Howard C. Fair, President  
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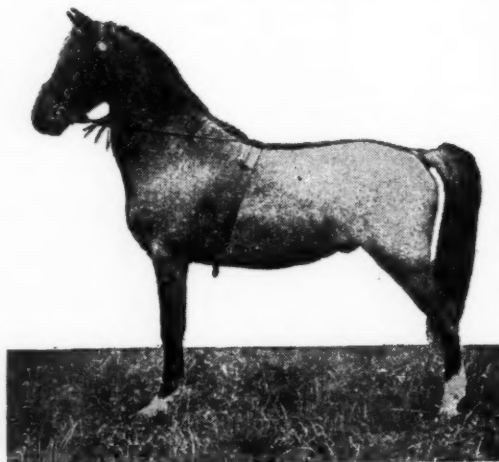
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# THE SPORTING CALENDAR

The Sporting Calendar is published the last week of each month. All those wishing to have events listed should send their dates into the editorial office, Middleburg, Virginia by the 15th of the month.

## SEPTEMBER

- 1—Garrison H. S., Garrison, N. Y.
- 2—Bennington American Legion H. S., Bennington, Vt.
- 1—Helping Hand H. S., Syosset, N. Y.
- 1—Rose Tree Hunter H. S., Media, Pa.
- 1—Unionville Horse Show, Unionville, Pa.
- 1—2—Metamora Hunt Hunter-Breeder Show, Metamora, Mich.
- 1—2—Genesee Valley Breeders Assn. Colt Show, Avon, N. Y.
- 1—3—Quentin Riding Club Fall H. S., Quentin, Pa.
- 1—3—Warrenton H. S., Warrenton, Va.
- 1—3—Oregon State Fair H. S., Salem, Ore.
- 2—Rice Farms Jr. H. S., Huntington, N. Y.
- 2—Goldens Bridge Hounds Colt & Young Hunter Show, North Salem, New York.
- 2—3—Rolling Hills Jr. H. S., Rolling Hills, Calif.
- 3—Iron Bridge Hunt Jr. & Family H. S., Burtonsville, Md.
- 3—Ludwig's Corner H. S., Chester County, Pa.
- 3—Chester H. S., Chester, N. J.
- 3—7—Indiana State Fair H. S., Indianapolis, Ind.
- 6—8—North Shore H. S., Stony Brook, N. Y.
- 6—Oglebay Park Saddle Club H. S., Wheeling, W. Va.
- 6—Millbrook H. S., Millbrook, N. Y.
- 6—Rose Tree Hunter H. S., Media, Pa.
- 6—Spring Valley H. S., New Vernon, N. J.
- 6—Moorestown H. S., Moorestown, N. J.
- 6—Elkton Lions Club H. S., Elkton, Va.
- 6—Perry Cabin Pony Show, St. Michaels, Md.
- 6—Groton Horse Show, Groton, Massachusetts.
- 6—9—Country Club of Rochester, H. S., Rochester, N. Y.
- 6—9—Cheviot H. S., Cheviot, Pa.
- 6—9—Ackerly H. S., Clark Summit, Pa.
- 6—9—Dunham Woods H. S., Wayne, Ill.
- 6—9—Nebraska Horse Clubs Assn. Jamboree, Columbus, Neb.
- 2—3—Rolling Hills Jr. H. S., Rolling Hills, Calif.
- 9—Sconodoo Volunteer Fire Co. H. S., Sconodoo, N. Y.
- 9—Deep Run Hunt Club Jr. H. S., Manakin, Va.
- 9—Twin Brook's Jr. H. S., Harrisburg, Penna.
- 9—Media H. S., Media, Pa.
- 9—Lawrence Farms H. S., Mt. Kisco, N. Y.
- 9—Maryland PHA H. S., Monkton, Md.
- 9—Exchange Club H. S., Easton, Conn.
- 9—Bailey's Horse & Pony Show, Alexandria, Va.
- 9—11—Chagrin Valley Hunt H. S., Gates Mills, Ohio.
- 13—15—Piping Rock H. S., Locust Valley, N. Y.
- 14—15—Brockton Fair H. S., Brockton, Mass.
- 15—Gloucester Pony Show, Gloucester, Va.
- 15—Rhinebeck Rotary H. S., Rhinebeck, N. Y.
- 15—16—Westmoreland Hunt H. S., Greensburg, Pa.
- 15—16—Delaware County H. S., Newtown Square, Pa.
- 15—16—Charity H. S., Lincoln, Neb.
- 15—16—Marlborough Hunt Club H. S., Upper Marlboro, Md.
- 16—Union City H. S., Union City, Ind.
- 15—Bedford H. S., Bedford, N. Y.
- 16—Silver Spur Club H. S., Platte Center, Neb.
- 16—Snow Hill H. S., Snow Hill, Md.
- 16—Harrison Schooling H. S., White Plains, N. Y.
- 16—22—Los Angeles International H. S., Los Angeles, Calif.
- 19—22—Utah State Fair, Salt Lake City, Utah.
- 21—23—Lake Oswego Hunt Club H. S., Oswego, Ore.
- 21—23—Lions Interstate H. S., Bedford, Pa.
- 21—23—Eastern States Amateur H. S., West Springfield, Mass.
- 22—Tri-County Riding Club H. S., Scottsville, Va.
- 22—Middletown Rotary Club H. S., Middletown, N. Y.
- 22—23—Upper Darby H. S., Media, Pa.
- 23—Twin Brooks Junior Horse & Pony Show, Inc.
- 23—Goldens Bridge Hounds Junior Hunter Trials, North Salem, N. Y.
- 23—Huntingdon Valley American Legion H. S., Huntingdon Valley, Pa.
- 23—Emmitsburg H. S., Emmitsburg, Md.
- 23—Sands Point H. S., Port Washington, N. Y.
- 28—29—Cooper Hospital H. S., Camden, N. J.
- 28—30—Westchester County Club H. S., Rye, N. Y.
- 28—30—Central Washington H. S., Yakima, Wash.
- 29—McLean H. S., McLean, Va.
- 30—Hilltop H. S., Devon, Pa.
- 30—North Park Riding Club H. S., Allison Park, Pa.
- 30—Pocomoke City Pony & H. S., Pocomoke City, Md.

## OCTOBER

- 4—7—Blue Ribbon H. S., Long Beach, Calif.
- 6—The Saddle River Riding Club Horse Show, Sterling Junction, Mass.

- 6—Greenwood Huritan Club H. S., Greenwood, Va.
- 6—Howard County Hunt Pony & H. S., Glenelg, Md.
- 7—Jeannes Hospital H. S., Meadowbrook, Pa.
- 7—New Brunswick H. S., New Brunswick, N. J.
- 7—Lake Washington Saddle Club Fall Show, Bellevue, Wash.
- 7—Southern Maryland PHA, Davidsonville, Md.
- 7—Harrison Fall H. S., White Plains, N. Y.
- 7—St. Martin's H. S., New Orleans, La.
- 7—Valley Forge Horse Show, Valley Forge, Pa.
- 12—14—Farmington Hunt Club H. S., Charlottesville, Va.
- 13—14—Cerebral Palsy H. S., Allendale, N. J.
- 13—Greenspring Hunters Pony & H. S., Glyndon, Md.
- 13—Kennett Square Horse Show, Kennett Square, Pa.
- 14—L. I. Chapter P. H. A. Junior Show, Long Island, New York
- 14—Batesville Legion H. S., Batesville, Ind.
- 14—Lancaster Fall H. S., Lancaster, Pa.
- 14—Suffield H. S., Suffield, Conn.
- 19—27—Pennsylvania National H. S., Harrisburg, Pa.
- 20—27—American Royal H. S., Kansas City, Mo.
- 21—Secor Farms H. S., White Plains, N. Y.
- 20—21—Flying Horseshoe Club H. S., Kirkland, Wash.
- 21—Fox Valley Farms Hunter Show, Glen Mills, Pa.
- 28—Saddle Tree Farms H. S., Bronxville, N. Y.
- 30—Nov. 6—National H. S., New York, N. Y.

## NOVEMBER

- 2—11—Grand National H. S., San Francisco, Calif.
- 9—17—Royal Winter Fair H. S., Toronto, Ont., Can.
- 24—25—Boulder Brook Fall Show, Scarsdale, N. Y.

## F. E. I. Shows

- August 7—11—Dublin, Ireland.  
August 12—15—Spa, Belgium.  
August 17—26—Ostende - Le Zoute, Belgium.  
August 29—Sept. 2—Rotterdam, Holland.  
October 20—28—Harrisburg, U.S.A.  
October 30—Nov. 6—New York, U.S.A.  
November 9—17—Toronto, Canada.

## Racing

### MAY

- 26—Sept. 9—La Mesa Park, Raton, N. M. 44 days.
- 30—Sept. 9—Ruidoso Downs, Ruidoso, N. M. 39 days.

### JUNE

- 29—Sept. 8—Centennial, Littleton, Colo. 50 days.

### JULY

- 14—Sept. 14—Wheeling Downs, Wheeling, W. Va. 55 days.
- 20—Sept. 8—Randall Park, North Randall, Ohio. 44 days.
- 21—Sept. 28—Cahokia Downs, East St. Louis, Ill. 60 days.
- 23—Sept. 22—Rockingham Park, Salem, N. H.
- 23—Sept. 8—Scarborough Downs, Maine. 42 days.
- 26—Sept. 10—Del Mar, Del Mar, Calif. 40 days.
- 30—Sept. 3—Washington Park, Homewood, Ill. 31 days.

- 30—Aug. 6—Regina, Can. 8 days.

## AUGUST

- 1—Sept. 3—Ellis Park, Ky. 29 days.
- 1—Oct. 6—Detroit Race Course, Livonia, Mich. 58 days.
- 3—11—San Mateo County Fair, Calif. 8 days.
- 6—Sept. 1—Saratoga, N. Y. 24 days.
- 9—Oct. 6—Atlantic City, N. J. 50 days.
- 13—Sept. 3—Hamilton, Ohio. 19 days.
- 30—Oct. 20—Beulah Park, Grove City, Ohio. 44 days.
- 30—Sept. 2—Tri-State Park, S. D. 40 days.
- 30—Sept. 8—California State Fair, Sacramento. 9 days.
- 31—Oct. 14—Playfair, Spokane, Wash. 33 days.

## SEPTEMBER

- 3—29—Old Woodbine, Canada. 24 days.
- 4—Oct. 13—Hawthorne, Cicero, Ill. 35 days.
- 10—27—Golden Gate Fields, Albany, Calif. 43 days.
- 10—Oct. 30—Cranwood Park, Warrensville Heights, Ohio. 44 days.
- 12—25—Cumberland, Md. 12 days.
- 14—29—Los Angeles County Fair, Pomona, Calif. 14 days.
- 24—Oct. 27—Suffolk Downs, East Boston, Mass. 30 days.
- 26—Oct. 9—Bel Air, Md. 12 days.

## SEPTEMBER STAKES

- 1—Washington Pk. Futurity, 6 f., 2-yr-olds (Washington Park) \$75,000 added
- 1—The Hopeful, 6 1/2 f., 2-yr-olds (Saratoga) 30,000 added
- 1—Del Mar Derby, 1 1/8 ml., 3-yr-olds (Del Mar) 25,000 added
- 3—Del Mar 'Cap, 1 1/8 ml., 3 & up (Del Mar) 30,000 added
- 3—Washington Park 'Cap, 1 ml., 3 & up (Washington Park) 100,000 added
- 6—Polomar 'Cap, 6 f., 3 & up, f & m (Del Mar) 15,000 added
- 8—Del Mar Futurity, 6 f., 2-yr-olds (Del Mar) 35,000 added
- 10—Escondido 'Cap, 1 ml., 3 & up (Del Mar) 15,000 added

## OCTOBER

- 1—Nov. 17—New Woodbine, Can. 42 days.
- 5—14—Fresno District Fair, Calif. 9 days.
- 9—20—Keeneland, Lexington, Ky. 10 days.
- 10—23—Mariboro, Md. 12 days.
- 15—Nov. 10—Sportsman's Park, Cicero, Ill. 24 days.
- 20—Nov. 17—Wheeling Downs, Wheeling, W. Va. 25 days.
- 24—Nov. 12—Laurel, Md. 17 days.
- 29—Dec. 15—Bay Meadows, San Mateo, Calif. 42 days.

## NOVEMBER

- 5—April 8—Rillito, Tucson, Ariz. 45 days. (Wed., Fri., Sat. & Sunday).
- 13—Dec. 13—Pimlico, Pimlico, Md. 29 days.
- 24—Mar 10—Fair Grounds, New Orleans, La. 83 days. (No Mondays except 2, 13, 27 & 3, 5).
- 28—Jan. 16—Tropical Park, Coral Gables, Fla. 43 days.

## DECEMBER

- 2—Mar. 10—Santa Anita, Arcadia, Calif. 55 days. (No racing Mondays).

## Hunter Trials

### OCTOBER

- 14—Fairfield County Hunter Trials, Southport, Connecticut
- 20—Old Chatham Hunt Hunter Trials, Old Chatham, New York

### NOVEMBER

- 17—Bridlespur Hunter Trials, St. Louis, Mo.

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## Saratoga Steeplechasing

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winners spot. It was an interesting race in that Glencannon just off a winning race here, runs his best race in front, and Hatcher on Flaming Comet did his best all through the race to head the Stern jumper. In several cases, it gave the appearance that Flaming Comet was "herding" Glencannon, and undoubtedly this had something to do with the Stewards decision. In any event these two horses monopolized the running, and after they crossed under the wire, it was two lengths back to Billing Bear for third and another three to Morpheus for the minor money award. Odyssey and Arrius completed the field after Khumbaba lost his rider at the fourth fence. Odyssey was beaten by faulty fencing, putting in a bad one at the third, and Arrius broke down in the running.

The following day, Tuesday, Llangollen Farm's Get Lost easily bested a field of platers over the one mile and three quarter distance over the smaller jumps. His winning margin was 20 lengths, running close to the early pace set by Perilous and then Narcissus 2nd, Jimmy Walker went to the front midway through the front stretch, and that was the end of it. Mycroft and Noble Sir fought it out for the place with Mycroft lasting to get second position by a length. Five lengths behind Noble Sir, Narcissus 2nd, who was rank in the early stages, finished a distant fourth.

On Wednesday, trainer Oleg Dubasoff turned loose a first time starter from France, and "they never saw which way he went". Under apprentice Willard Thompson, Gay Time 2nd, beat a field of maidens by what was described as 18 lengths, but it seemed even further. He was bumped at the start and took a little time to work his way forward. Reaching second position as the field passed the stands, after just about completing a turn, Thompson, took the inside of the last hurdle on the front stretch, and then proceeded to open up on his fled. Big Profit and Medal Man, both three-year-olds, made most of the pace up to this point, with the former dropping out of it after a little over a mile, while Big Profit held on well just missing the runner-up spot to Blen More from the last fence to the wire. Another French import, Sanford Stud Farm's Raffy, making his first start in this Country, had a rough time of it, but got up to finish fourth. Gay Time 2nd, was the second win for John M. Schiff during the week. He like Tarboots, is a three-year-old.

On Saturday, Odyssey came back in a steeplechase, and in contrast to his effort earlier in the week, jumped well, and under a hustling ride from Albert Foot scored by four lengths over Billing Bear. Two lengths further back Pine Shot showed some improvement to finish third, with Cherwell four lengths further back. It was an interesting and closely contested race for most of the way, and several times in the last half mile, it appeared that Odyssey would not be able to hold his lead, but each time, Albert started to scrub and his mare finally shook off the opposition to draw out in the run from the last fence to the wire. The time of 4:09 2/5, was the fastest of

the meeting thus far for the two mile 'chase distance.

### SUMMARIES

August 13

Steeplechase, abt. 2 miles, 4 & up. Purse, \$4,200. Net value to winner: \$2,730; 2nd: \$840; 3rd: \$420; 4th: \$210. Winner: b. g. (10) by \*Easton—Tourist, by \*Tourist II. Trainer: J. V. H. Davis. Breeder: A. Stern. Time: 4:12-4/5.

(D) Flaming Comet, (Brookmeade Stable), 144.

H. Hatcher. (placed 2nd after disqualification)

1. Glencannon, (A. Stern), 144,

H. Hoey.

3. Billing Bear, (C. S. May), 149,

J. Murphy.

7 started, 6 finished; also ran (order of finish): A. Untermeyer's Morpheus, 131, J. Walker; Blue Run Farm's Odyssey, 123, A. Foot; S. C. Clark, Jr.'s Arrius, 138, K. Field; lost rider (after 4th): Winding Way Farm's Khumbaba, 144, F. D. Adams. Won driving by 1; show same by 2; place same by 3. Scratched: Sundowner. Flaming Comet was disqualified and placed 2nd for fouling Glencannon after completing the final fence.

August 14

Hurdles, abt. 1 1/4 miles, 3 & up. Purse, \$3,000. Net value to winner: \$1,950; 2nd: \$600; 3rd: \$300; 4th: \$150. Winner: b. g. (5) by \*Endeavour II—Brush Off, by The Porter. Trainer: Mrs. C. E. Adams. Breeder: Llangollen Farms. Time: 3:31-4/5. 1. Get Lost, (Llangollen Farms), 140,

J. Walker.

2. Mycroft, (A. Stern), 130,  
D. Delaunay.  
3. Noble Sir, (J. S. Nash), 130,  
J. Hobales.

11 started, and finished; also ran (order of finish): Mrs. H. T. McKnight's \*Narcissus II, 148, P. Smithwick; J. F. McKnight's Morton W., 130, E. Phelps; G. F. Perry's Roget, 142, A. Foot; Mrs. J. Fisher, Jr.'s Perilous, 135, W. Small; J. P. McCormick's Prince Errol, 145, E. Jackson; J. B. Youmans' Rebel Girl, 140, S. Riles; Nancy F. Sweet-Escott's de Broke, 140, G. Foot; M. H. Dixon's Ripshot, 145, E. Carter. Won easily by 20; place driving by 1; show same by 1. Scratched: Blenmore, Garfield, One Team, Tall Mound, Thy Delight, Follies Bergere.

August 15

Hurdles, abt. 1 1/4 miles, 3 & up. Purse, \$3,500. Net value to winner: \$2,275; 2nd: \$700; 3rd: \$350; 4th: \$175. Winner: b. g. (3) by Galene—Dolomites, by Dogat. Trainer: O. T. Dubasoff. Breeder: Mrs. J. Ch. Devin (France). Time: 3:29-2/5.

1. \*Gay Time II, (J. M. Schiff), 130,

J. W. Thompson.

2. Blen More, (Mrs. A. White), 142,

H. Hatcher.

3. Big Profit, (J. Wiesenfeld), 133,

J. Walker.

12 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): Sanford Stud Farm's \*Raffy, 147, J. Cotter; Mrs. M. G. Walsh's Independence, 147, P. Smithwick; J. P. Jones' Heddal Man, 133, S. Riles.

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## Saratoga Steeplechasing

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Mrs. O. Phipps' Crucial, 147, F. D. Adams; Mill River Stables' Blotchash, 147, D. Delaunay; M. A. Smith's Thy Delight, 132, J. Hobbes; Mrs. G. P. Reed's Not It's Time, 132, K. Fields; Voico Stable's 'Hatton's Grace, 147, A. Foot; T. A. Randolph's One Tear, 142, R. S. McDonald. Won easily by 18; place driving by 1½; show same by 3. Scratched: \*Nainavah.

### August 16

Steeplechase, The Beverwyck Steeplechase, abt. 2 mi., 4 & up. Purse, \$7,500 added. Net value to winner: \$4,100; 2nd: \$1,500; 3rd: \$750; 4th: \$375. Winner: b. g. (6) by First Fiddle—Bavardia, by Blue Larkspur. Trainer: A. White. Breeder: Brookmeade Stable. Time: 4:11-1/5.  
1. Bavaria, (Brokmeade Stable), 148, H. Hatcher.  
2. Carthage, (Newtondale Stable), 137, J. Murphy.  
3. Ancestor, (Mrs. O. Phipps), 155, F. D. Adams.  
7 started and 6 finished; also ran (order of finish): J. F. McHugh's Sundowner, 140, E. Phelps; Mrs. M. G. Walsh's Basilia, 130, S. Riles; R. J. Van Horn's Ring O'Roses, 157, P. Smithwick. Fell: At 7th, A. Untermyer's Morpheus, 132, J. Walker. Won easily by 9; place driving by 2; show same by 4.

### AUGUST 17

Hurdles, The Saratoga National Maiden Hurdle, abt. 1¼ mi., 3 & up. Purse, \$7,500 added. Net value to winner: \$3,175; 2nd: \$1,500; 3rd: \$750; 4th: \$375. Winner: b. g. (3) by Black Tarquin—Vamp, by Our Boots. Trainer: O. T. Dubassoff. Breeder: J. M. Schiff. Time: 3:27 1/5.  
1. Tarboots, (J. M. Schiff), 137, E. Jackson.  
2. Ideal View, (Sanford Stud Farm), 133, J. Cotter.  
3. Nassau Derby, (W. C. MacMillen), 144, J. Thompson.  
8 started and 7 finished; also ran (order of finish): Montpelier's Dromond, 141, A. Foot; Newtondale Stable's Rose Pete, 148, K. Field; W. M. Jeffords' Policeman Day, 161, J. Murphy; Mrs. O. Phipps' Affable, 145, F. D. Adams. Fell: At 8th, R. K. Mellon's Chambourg, 153, P. Smithwick. Won driving by 2; place same by 5½; show same by 2.

### AUGUST 18

Steeplechase, abt. 2 mi., 4 & up. Purse: \$4,000. Net value to winner: \$2,600; 2nd: \$800; 3rd: \$400; 4th: \$200. Winner: ch. f., (4) by \*Orestes III—Sea Borne, by Annapolis. Trainer: R. G. Woolfe. Breeder: Mrs. M. duPont Scott. Time: 4:09 2/5.  
1. Odyssey, (Blue Run Farm), 132, A. Foot.  
2. Billing Bear, (C. S. May), 145, J. Murphy.  
3. Pine Shot, (M. H. Dixon), 142, E. Deveau.  
8 started and 7 finished; also ran (order of finish): W. C. Robinson, Jr.'s Cherwell, 140, M. Hoey; M. H. Dixon's Flaw, 147, E. Carter; Bellevue Farm's Area, 130, M. Ferral; J. F. McHugh's Hot and Cold, 132, E. Phelps. Went lame: At 7th, W. M. Duryea's Swords Point, 150, H. Hatcher. Won ridden out by 4; place driving by 2; show same by 4.

## Saratoga 'Chasing

Aug. 20—23

Brookmeade Stable's Flaming Comet, a ten-year-old homebred, has been a near stakes winner several times in his 'chasing career, and he finally "made it", in the \$7,500 added North American Steeplechase Handicap on Thursday, August 24th. With Harry Hatcher doing the steering, Flaming Comet reached the end of the about two miles and thirteen fences a length in front of Odyssey, the latter just getting up in the last stride to snatch the place position from Basilia by a head. It was four lengths back to Billing Bear and another two to Coveted.

Run this year under restricted conditions which only permitted non-stakes winners in the past two seasons, six horses paraded postward, and the public had difficulty in selecting a favorite, the choice finally falling to Odyssey and Coveted, each being held at a little more than two to one. Off to an even start, the field raced for the first

jump with Coveted getting the call, but a fence later Glencannon, second top weight of the field with 147, took command with Coveted and Odyssey running closest, followed by Basilia, Flaming Comet and Billing Bear. The field continued much in this order for a complete turn of the course, and all jumping moderately well. Still in command at the 8th fence, the water jump, Glencannon tried to put in a short one, and this was the beginning of a series of three mistakes which finally cost him his chance when he unseated his rider, Murty Hoey on the far side at the 11 fence. The backstretch fences also proved the undoing of Coveted, which was making him first start since last year, and his initial effort for his new owner, G. H. Bostwick. Making a bad mistake at the 10th jump, Coveted all but unseated Dooley Adams, and cost him whatever chance he had.

With Glencannon out of it, Flaming Comet surged into the lead, while Riles on Basilia moved with him. Only a length or so away, Odyssey, with Albert Foot up, was still very much in contention, although her jumping cost her ground at several fences. Rounding the last turn, Flaming Comet carried his 151 lbs., nicely, jumped the 13th and final fence with a daylight lead and then responded in the drive to hold off Basilia and Odyssey. The latter was three or four lengths off Flaming Comet at the last fence and then closed very well, only beaten a length for all the money. Odyssey, a four-year-old mare, carried 132 lbs., seemingly a light package, but only 1 less than Flaming Comet taxing the scale and sex allowance into consideration.

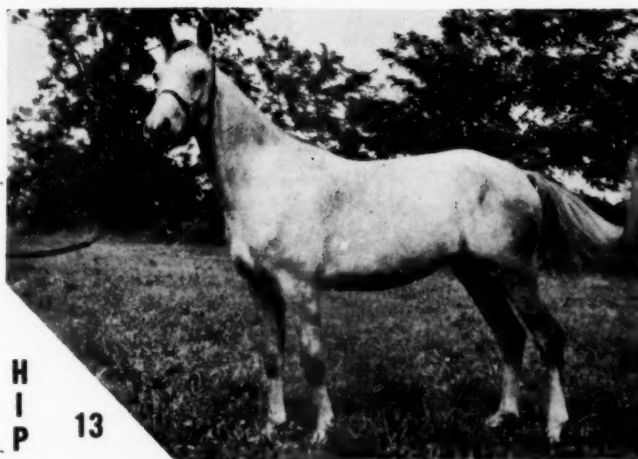
Flaming Comet's time for the distance was 4:16 1/5 well off the course record, but in the previous four of five days, several rainfalls have kept the infield here in good shape.

The following day, The \$5,000 added Lovely Night Hurdle Handicap provided the biggest upset of the meeting thus far for through-the-field races. Mrs. M. Troy Jones' Polly Pep, a winner of only one of his four starts previously this season, was held at 15 to 1, in a six horse field with five betting interests. Most attention was centered on Walter M. Jeffords Policeman Day, a three time winner this season, including two stakes, while the Arthur White trained entry of Eternal Son and Breakers Ahead, he, a winner over both Chamborg and Policeman Day earlier this season at Middleburg, commanded the remainder of attention.

At the start of this two mile hurdle test, as might be expected, it was not long before Policeman Day got to the top, then opened it to daylight and finally was a dozen lengths in front of his field coming through the stretch the second time. Meanwhile the remainder of the field, except for Polly Pep, raced in a tight little knot. With Eddie Deveau in the saddle, Polly Pep, trailed, in fact was a one horse "third division" of the race. Coming to the sixth hurdle, just before rounding the clubhouse turn the second time, Policeman Day led by almost a dozen lengths, but a bad jump here he got right down to the hurdle box—almost slowed him to a walk, and as he rounded the turn into the back stretch, Eternal Son ranged up to less than a length off the lead, but somehow the Jeffords gelding

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## Cecil Smith and The Texas Hall of Fame

Cecil Smith, the nation's only active 10-goal polo player is being given considerable attention by his fellow Texans these days as balloting gets underway for the 1956 additions to the Texas Hall of Fame.

In a long list of great Texas athletes, Smith must be rated near the top. His career is an exception. Thirty years is an eternity in the ephemeral world of sport. And that's how long Cecil Smith has been playing polo.

Let's turn the clock back. Thirty years ago Babe Ruth hit 60 home runs. Johnny Weismuller swam a hundred yards in 51 seconds and established a world record.

Gene Tunney was the world heavyweight boxing champion by virtue of a victory over Jack Dempsey and a successful defense during which he survived the famous long count.

And thirty years ago while Rogers Hornsby was guiding the St. Louis team to the World's Series title, a husky 28-year-old Texas cowboy straddled a pony on a ranch near Llano and took his first swipe at a 3-inch willow root ball. The cowpoke was Cecil Smith, the ranch belonged to George Miller, the game was polo and the year 1924. Thirty-two years ago to be exact.

Incredible but true! Cecil Smith, a great athlete during the roaring twenties—the era of Tunney, Jones, Ruth and Cochet, is a great athlete today.

From the beginning Cecil was a sensation. His first national rating was 2-goal, raised within five years to 5-goal. By 1934 his skill and stamina carried him to the apogee of polo ratings—ten goals. He was a 10-goal player when Tommy Hitchcock was the nonpareil of polo and he is rated at 10-goals today. Smith is the only player ever rated at 10-goals so late in his career and if you haven't already figured it out he's 52-years-young.

He's a husky man who carries his age lightly. His black hair is dusted with grey, but he looks almost the same as when the polo world first heard about him.

The experts say that Smith isn't likely to drop back down the polo ratings for a long time. Granted he doesn't hit the ball with the tremendous power of a few years back, but he is as accurate as ever and rides with the beautiful grace he has had since his cowboy days.

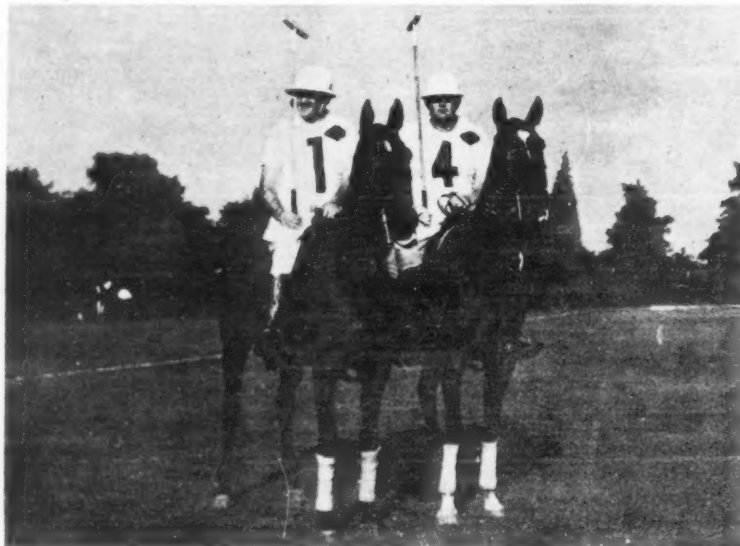
Polo is a combination of the speed of horse racing, the tactics of hockey, the contact of football and the finesse of the golf swing, a 10-goal player must combine an extraordinary category of skills.

When you consider that a polo player makes his shot at a moving ball rid-

ing some 1,200 pounds of lively horseflesh with an opponent nudging him off center, you can begin to understand the difficulty of staying at the top.

It's no wonder Smith has a following in the Lone Star State who are rooting for Cecil Smith's name and skill to be listed with Rogers Hornsby, Ben Hogan, Tris Speaker and Babe Didrikson Zaharias.

"When the voting starts there will be quite a few fine athletes considered. None of them is more worthy of inculcious than Cecil Smith."



A. D. (Don) Beveridge, captain of the Triple C polo team of Detroit and Harold Barry, number 4, of the same team, who will be active in the National Open Tournament.

It looks like Cecil Smith is Texas Hall of Fame bound.

Cecil Smith has held a 10-goal rating—1934, 1938, 1939, 1940, 1941, 1942, 1946, 1947, 1948, 1949, 1950, 1952, 1953, 1954, 1955, 1956.

He was a member of the historic United States 40-goal polo team of 1939 along with Stewart Iglehart, Thomas Hitchcock Jr., and Mike Phipps.

Smith played with the National Open championship teams four times: 1937, Old Westbury; 1938, Old Westbury; 1948, Hurricanes and 1949, Hurricanes.

He is a member of the Oak Brook Polo Club team of Hinsdale, Ill.



## Polo Handicaps and The Scoffers

Cdr. G. W. Kittredge, USN

A lot of people beat their gums about polo handicaps. They don't see how one player can be worth ten goals to his side in a game or how it is possible to rate one guy six goals and another eight. "There's not that fine a line", you'll hear these belittlers of the handicap system say. "After four goals, it all depends on the ponies."

Last Sunday night they played a game in Honolulu Stadium which should have convinced the Scoffers that there is more to a high handicap than the excellence of horseflesh. The two teams for the main feature of a double-header, had ratings of 17 and 18 goals. The 17 goal team was made up of Freddy Rice with 3 goals, playing at No. 1 position; Dr. Billy Linfoot, 8 goals, at No. 2, and Gordon Von Temp-sky playing back and carrying 6 goals.

Their opponents, playing in the same order were Tommy Campos with a 3 goal handicap, Manduke Baldwin, 6 goals, and Peter Perkins who as most people know, carries 9 goals. All in all, an impressive array of polo talent.

It was apparent right from the beginning that Dr. Billy Linfoot, as the handicap showed, had an edge over Manduke Baldwin. Manduke just didn't seem to be able to stay with him. When Dr. Billy started to move, he went very fast and he anticipated the play as only a high goal veteran can. Freddy Rice at one played his position well up towards the goal to take the passes from Dr. Billy. As a result, Peter Perkins, playing at back was usually caught in a dilemma. If he went with the play and took Freddy out, Dr. Billy came through and scored. If he dropped back to take care of Dr. Billy, then

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there was a pass to Freddy Rice and he scored. The dilemma took such serious proportions that by half time the score was 11 to 4 in favor of the Linfoot trio.

At the half, Peter Perkins said his boys must have talked things over because when they rode out to resume the conflict, Manduke Baldwin dropped back to the defensive position and Peter Perkins and Dr. Billy Linfoot were paired off. The switch put the trailing team in the money. Pistol Pete Perkins effectively marked Dr. Billy and kept him under control, although in fairness to Dr. Billy it can be said that it was during this chukker that he pulled a muscle which will keep him out of the Open at Milwaukee next week. Nevertheless Peter Perkins showed just a bit more in anticipating the play—about 1 goal's worth, which is the difference in handicap between the two players. All in all it was a good example of handicap and a lesson in positioning players when it comes to high goal polo because Campos, Perkins and Baldwin came back in the last two periods to chalk up six goals to their opponents' single. Even so, it wasn't enough. Dr. Billy Linfoot's lone goal in the fourth chukker put the game on ice for his side by a score of 12 to 10.

**Score by Periods**

Handicap	1	2	3	4	Total
Linfoot All Stars	1	6	4	0	11
Honolulu All Stars	0	1	3	6	10

**Score by Players**

Linfoot All Stars	1	2	3	4	Total
F. Rice (3)	2	3	0	0	5
B. Linfoot (8)	2	0	0	1	3
V. Tempsky (6)	2	1	0	0	3
Honolulu All Stars					
T. Campos (3)	1	0	0	0	1
R. Baldwin (6)	0	3	3	0	6
P. Perkins (9)	0	0	3	0	3

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**Bishop Hollow Defeats Lancaster In Last Period**

Hervey Swann's Bishop Hollow Team continued their winning ways on Sunday, August 19th, 1956 when they evened up the series with the Lancaster Polo Club, the final score was 6 to 1 favoring the home team.

It was a nip and tuck affair going into the last period when the Swann's up and coming team exploded with four goals in four minutes.

Jack Ehmer started the scoring in the first period with a 30 yard smash from the side of the field. Although the men from up state tried their best, they never caught up with the winners for the rest of the game. In the second period, Ehmer crashed through with a 40 yard angle goal from the side boards and if it had not been for Gil Miller's defensive work around the goal several other scores would have resulted.

There was no further scoring until

the last period, though both teams had a number of opportunities. But the defensive work of Ehmer and Miller held the score down.

It took two minutes of the last chukker before another goal was scored by the Bishop Hollow team and it took a "pony" goal to make it. Then Whiting followed up Bill Gill's attempted goal about five feet from the goal line and made it good. Whiting came through again about a minute later with another follow up of Gill's attempted try for goal. Ehmer made the final goal when he drove one through the uprights about fifty yards out.

Even though Bill Gill failed to score his setting up of the balls for the other members and continuously keeping the Lancaster men out of the play helped in the final results.

**Bishop Hollow**

1. Bill Gill
2. Jack Ehmer
3. Jack Whiting

Score by periods:

Bishop Hollow	1	1	0	0	4	—6
Lancaster	1	0	0	0	0	—1

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## Racing Review

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\$39,100 (to Mrs. E. D. Jacobs in the track bookkeeper's office.

The time for the 1 1/4 mile race was 2:04 1/5.

Hirsch Jacobs, spouse of the owner, trains Paper Tiger.

In 12 starts this season, the horse shows 3 wins, 2 seconds and 2 thirds. His earnings add up to \$64,350. Last season, he won \$85,075, with 3 victories in 21 starts. Two of his wins were in stakes, the Edgemere and Manhasset Handicaps.

The Bieber-Jacobs Stables bred Paper Tiger.

The Sanford Stake was the co-feature with the Saratoga on August 25 and this one went to Greentree Stable's Thin Ice and marked the first stakes win for the two-year-old colt.

The six-furlong test was worth \$12,500, and gives the English-bred colt an earnings total of \$19,250. He has 3 wins, a second and 3 thirds in 9 tries.

Lord Carnarvon bred Thin Ice. The colt is by Abernant, from Fragillite by Prince Bio.

Ted Atkinson usually rides him and, of course, John Gaver is his trainer.

Hirsch Jacobs had Searching tight as a fiddle string for the Diana Handicap (August 22) and when Searching is that way, that's the way you'd better bet.

She won the mile-and-one-eighth race by two lengths, under Conn McCreary, after racing close to the pace all the way. Rico Reto was second, Blue Banner third and Flower Bowl, fourth.

Parlo was made the favorite, but virtually ran away with her rider when the saddle slipped. Under her exhausting early efforts, she tried and finished last in the field of nine.

Searching (War Admiral—Big Hurry, by Black Toney) put \$18,950 to the account of Mrs. E. D. Jacobs. That gives her \$67,650 for 1956. She has 3 wins, 2 seconds and 1 third in 11 starts.

All three victories have been in stakes. The other two were the Top Flight and Correction Handicaps.

Last season, she earned \$80,675, with 12 wins in 26 trips to the post. Her stakes wins were in the Vagrancy Handicap and Gallorette Stakes.

Now four years old, Searching was bred by Ogden Phipps.

On August 16, Trainer J. W. Maloney turned loose a two-year-old filly named Alanesian in a maiden race and she ran away with it, winning by six lengths. Eight days later (on the 24th) he gave her a shot at a stakes, the Spinaway, and she won just as easily. She was the odds-on choice at 3 to 5 and took it by eight lengths.

The filly belongs to Mr. W. H. Perry.

The Spinaway, one of the juicier plums at Saratoga was worth \$36,100. Alanesian now has a record of 2 wins and no losses and earnings of \$38,375.

Bill Boland rode her in both races.

E. Barry Ryan bred the daughter of Polynesian, from Alablue, by Blue Ladspur.

### Atlantic City

Calumet's Farm's Bardstown took the Longport Handicap by 1 1/2 lengths over Blue Sparkler, but the authority of his win was greater than indicated by the margin. He was going easily at the end.

Blue Sparkler was six lengths ahead of Skipper Bill, which took third place by half a length from Royal Game II.

Bardstown, under 119, led most of the way and raced the seven furlongs in 1:22 3/5. Blue Sparkler, carrying 124 is a filly and was giving the winner ten pounds on the scale. She managed to get to the front at one stage of the game but couldn't hold the lead over the determined colt.

Bardstown is by \*Alibhai, out of the great race mare, Twilight Tear, and he was scoring his sixth victory—second in a stakes—in 9 starts. He has been second once and third once.

The Longport money award amounted to \$17,250 and gives Bardstown an earnings total of \$65,800.

Bill Hartack rode in the Longport. Calumet bred Bardstown. Jimmy Jones trains him.

### Short Takes of Late Stakes

Dedicate took the Rockingham Special (August 25) equaling the track record of 1:09 3/5 for six furlongs.

Bull Dog Stakes at Detroit on August 18 went to Royal Dasher.

Dante's Faith won Chagrin Valley Turf Handicap at Randall Park on August 25.

### Australian Winner

The first Australian horse flown to this country, west to east by way of India, was Prince Morvi, the property of Frank C. Rand, Jr. of New York and New Mexico. On July 4th at Delaware Park, he registered his 3rd win of the season and his first stakes win by coming first under the wire in the Sussex Turf Handicap.

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## Chronicle Cover

Trouble was bred in Franklin County, Ky., by Mr. A. Keene Richards and Dr. Butler. He was foaled 1870, and was got by Ulverstone, a son of Lexington and Utilla, by Margrave. Trouble's dam was Kate McDonald, by Mickey Free out of Annie Laurie, by Vincent Nolte (son of American Eclipse). When a two-year-old he was sold to Dick Jackson, the jolly Kentucky blacksmith, whose well-known face it is pleasant to see at the beginning of every great meeting. He had the colt galloped a little as a two-year-old, and during the spring he was three, he sent him to our gallant friend Major G. Thomas of Fayette County to be trained. There he was seen by Mr. Clement Alloway, of Montreal, who fancied he would make a jumper, and purchased him for himself and Mr. Torrence for \$300. That was in the spring of 1873. In Canada they sold him for \$1500, and afterwards Mr. Torrence purchased him back.

He started twice over the flat while Major Thomas had him, was not placed the first time, but ran second to Florence I. in the other. In May 1874, he ran a two-mile hurdle race at Carleton Park, Toronto, Canada, and won, beating Jack the Barber, Jr. On the same day he was second to Lulu, formerly Sunrise, in the Stewards' Plate, mile heats. At Carleton Park, in July, he won a mile dash beating Helen Bennett. At Toronto he won a purse, one mile, beating Helen Bennett. At Hamilton, Trouble won a hurdle race, two miles, beating Kelso. At Ottawa, he won the Flash Stakes, beating Tradewind and Hampton. He also won the steeplechase, two miles and a half, beating Tradewind.

Trouble was brought by Mr. Torrence to Jerome Park last fall, and won the handicap steeplechase, carrying the top weight, 150 lbs., beating Daylight. He also won a handicap steeplechase, carrying 160 lbs., beating Mary Clark. At Baltimore Trouble beat Austrine in the Grand Steeplechase Post Stakes. At Jerome Park extra meeting he won the Grand Steeplechase Handicap, carrying the top weight, 158 lbs. and beating Diavolo. In these great steeplechases, Johnny Highland rode Trouble.

This year at Baltimore Spring Meeting he won the Steeplechase Post Stakes beating Coronet. At Jerome Park he

came in first in the Handicap Steeplechase with the top weight, 158 lbs., but was disqualified, because Murphy dismounted without notice. At Long Branch, he won the Grand National Steeplechase, beating Bullet. He also won a hurdle race, two miles, beating Diavolo. At the second meeting he was second to Diavolo in a hurdle race. At Saratoga, Trouble, with 158 lbs., ran second to Diavolo, 158 lbs., in a steeplechase.

After this Mr. Torrence sold him to Mr. Charles Reed of New York City, to whom he now belongs. Anthony Taylor took him to train, and Tom Little was engaged to ride him. At the Jerome Park Fall Meeting he was second to Diavolo in the Handicap Steeplechase both 158 lbs. Next week with 158 lbs., he beat Diavolo, who carried 163 lbs. Little rode, and Midgely was on Diavolo. The race was exceedingly close and good, won by a head only. On the last day of the Fall Meeting Trouble carried 160 lbs., and beat Diavolo. The latter bolted twice in that race. Geo. Sutcliffe was riding, and being weak from recent illness, was unable to hold him.

Trouble was then sent into winter quarters at Long Branch, with Taylor's other horses. In 1876, at Jerome Park June 6th, he won the \$800 purse, beating Point Blank; and at the same place on June 17, carrying the top weight, 165 lbs., he defeated Stanford, 6 years, 158 lbs. At Saratoga, July 27 carrying 165 lbs., he was second to Osage, 5 years, 142 lbs. One week later at the same place, he was among the not placed, Resolute winning the race; and at the same place (Saratoga). August 19, he finished his labors for the year by winning a \$750 purse, defeating Resolute. This year, 1877, at Jerome Park, he won twice. On June 5th, he won the Grand National Handicap Steeplechase, defeating Resolute; and on June 12th, he won the \$600 purse, defeating Deadhead.

## Letters To The Editor

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## Olympic Games

Dear Sir:

I wish to congratulate you on a wonderful job of covering the equestrian team's preparations for and participa-

tion in the Olympic Games. Except for your good work, we'd hardly know what happened in Stockholm, even yet. Keep up the fine work!

Sincerely,

J. R. Young

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## News From The Studs

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where Mr. Phipps boards his brood mares in Kentucky. The dam, Sicily, who took the Alabama Stakes and Top Flight Handicap herself, was bred to \*Princequillo this spring.

Flying Fury was bred by Harry F. Guggenheim, to whose Cain Hoy Stable Mr. Phipps had leased Sicily.

—Frank Talmadge Phelps

## Pucker Up's Sister

Dan and Ada Rice's Danada Farm, Lexington, has a suckling full sister to Pucker Up, the Olympia filly who recently won the \$20,000-added Misty Isle Handicap. The dam, Lou Lea, is again in foal to Olympia.

Incidentally, Lou Lea had a nearly fatal case of lockjaw while she was carrying the oddly named Pucker Up, her first foal. The mare was purchased privately as a two-year-old from Calumet Farm, Lexington, after a hind ankle injury had kept her from racing.



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## Saratoga Steeplechasing

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got going again, and Jimmy Murphy again opened up a little more than a daylight lead, with Eternal Son and Breakers Ahead closest followed by Affable and Morpheus. Polly Pep still trailed and at this point looked a virtual cinch for last place. Before the field hit the far turn, it was apparent however that Policeman Day would give way, as horses ranged up right behind him, but it was not until midway around the turn that the unexpected happened. As one trainer said later, "It looked like a fresh horse popped out of a barn on this turn." In any event Polly Pep moved by his field like they were all hitched to a stone boat, and from there to the wire, it was no contest. Jumping the last two hurdles well, Polly Pep ran under the wire with eight lengths to spare, with Breakers Ahead besting his stablemate for the place, and Morpheus coming in fourth. Policeman Day finished a weary fifth in front of Affable. The latter repeatedly made mistakes in jumping and gave way badly in the last quarter mile. Polly Pep is a five-year-old gelded

son of Polynesian out of an Annapolis mare, and was bred by Mrs. Morris H. Dixon. In 1955, he raced in the colors of C. Mahlon Kline, scoring one victory, and several near misses in good company. He was purchased by Mrs. Troy Jones late in the fall of 1955, and is now under the care of Donald Jacobs.

His time for the about two miles over hurdles was 3:58 2/5 over a soft course, almost 11 seconds off the record.

The third week of the meeting opened with a handy score for Carleton Palmer's imported Galatian in a two mile hurdle race under claiming conditions. Jimmy Murphy who rode him, kept him under restraint until nearing the last turn, then moved to the leaders easily and took command rounding into the stretch to win by three lengths. Rebel Coat, the runner-up, got to the front on the far side the last time, and while no match for the winner, held on surprisingly well, and was five lengths in front of Another Hyacinth, which finished third a neck in front of Breakers Ahead. Cammell Laird, which ran coupled with Rebel Coat as the property of Mrs. V. G. Cardy, made his first start over hurdles in 1956 in this race, and ran on the front end or close to it for most of the way, but then tired in the last quarter.

On Tuesday, The Irish Bullet at a mile and three quarters over hurdles saw two three-year-olds fighting it out in the stretch against older rivals. At the last hurdle F. Eugene Dixon, Jr.'s Finnochio held at slight advantage over the French import, Gay Time 2nd, owned by John M. Schiff. At this fence, a bobble by Gay Time 2nd, cost him his chance, and permitted Finnochio to cross under the wire with a six length margin. It was an equal distance back to Hurst Park for third, with the remainder of the field spread out. It is interesting to record that this was Finnochio's second straight win over hurdles. Trained by Joe Nash, his performance on the flat tailed off somewhat in the earlier part of the year, and it was decided to try him over hurdles. His second effort which was at Monmouth Park proved a winning one. Then he was run back again on the flat and ran second at Jamaica. Early at the Saratoga meeting, he easily bested Saci in a six furlong allowance race, drawing away at the finish like a good horse.

Finnochio was bred by his owner, F. Eugene Dixon, Jr., and is by Platter out of Sun Hera.

The following day, Allison Sterns Nainavah, an English import, bred by the Aga and Aly Khan, captured a maiden hurdle event at a mile and three quarters. Held close to the pace by Evan Jackson, Nainavah appeared rank in the early stages, moved up to challenge Blen More for the lead going to the last hurdle, and then drew out in the run in on the flat. Blen More, the runner-up, ran a very creditable race, and while his previous effort was a second also, this was an improvement, and he should win with a little

more experience over hurdles. Crucial and Tall Mound completed the money positions, but were not serious contenders in the last half mile of the race.

On Saturday, in a maiden three year old hurdle, Sanford Stud Farm's Ideal View with Dooley Adams aboard finished second to Jessie Wiesenfeld's Big Profit under Paddy Smithwick, but Adams lodged a claim of foul against Smithwick, claiming interference at the far turn. After viewing the film, the stewards permitted the claim and moved Big Profit back to second. Mycroft and Medal Man were a close up third and fourth, with the rest of the field up the stretch.

August 29, 1956

Hurdles, abt. 2 ml., 4 & up. Purse: \$3,200. Net value to winner: \$2,080; 2nd: \$640; 3rd: \$320; 4th: \$160. Winner: ch. g., 9, by Way In—Ankara, by Singapore. Trainer: S. Watters, Jr. Breeder: J. A. Dewar (England). Time: 3:54.

1. \*Galatian, (C. H. Palmer), 155, J. Murphy.
  2. Rebel Coat, (Mrs. V. G. Cardy), 145, M. Hoey.
  3. Another Hyacinth, (C. W. Stitzer), 152, P. Smithwick.
- 7 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): W. M. Duryea's Breakers Ahead, 146, H. Hatcher; Happy Hill Farm's Jet Command, 152, E. Jackson; Mrs. V. G. Cardy's Cammell Laird, 148, F. D. Adams; Winding Way Farm's Khumbaba, 143, J. W. Thompson. Won ridden out by 3; place driving by 5; show same by neck. Scratched: Polly Pep.

AUGUST 29, 1956

Hurdles, abt. 1 3/4 ml., 3 & up. Purse: \$3,700. Net value to winner: \$2,405; 2nd: \$760; 3rd: \$370; 4th: \$185. Winner: ch. g., 3, by Platter—Sun Hera, by Sun Teddy. Trainer: J. S. Nash. Breeder: F. E. Dixon, Jr. Time: 3:34.

1. Finnochio, (F. E. Dixon, Jr.), 132, F. D. Adams.
  2. \*Gay Time II, (J. M. Schiff), 130, J. W. Thompson.
  3. \*Hurst Park, (H. LaMontagne), 136, M. Hoey.
- 6 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): C. W. Stitzer's \*Ruby Brick, 142, F. Smithwick; Liangollen Farm's Get Lost, 141, S. Riles; C. A. Hooper's Waiting Wish, 138, A. Foot. Won ridden out by 6; place driving by 7; show same by 18.

AUGUST 29, 1956

Hurdles, abt. 1 3/4 ml., 3 & up. Purse: \$3,500. Net value to winner: \$2,275; 2nd: \$700; 3rd: \$350; 4th: \$175. Winner: b. c., 4 by Palestine—Naishapur, by Nearco. Trainer: J. V. H. Davis. Breeder: Aga—Aly Khan, England. Time: 3:32 1/3.

1. \*Nainavah, (Boncris Farm), 147, E. Jackson.
  2. Blen More, (Mrs. A. White), 147, H. Hatcher.
  3. Crucial, (Mrs. O. Phipps), 137, F. D. Adams.
- 7 started and finished; also ran (order of finish): M. A. Rumsey's Tall Mound, 152, W. Mason; Mrs. G. P. Reed's Now It's Time, 152, K. Field; T. A. Randolph's One Tear, 135, R. S. McDonald; J. P. McCormick's Prince Errol, M. Hoey. Won driving by 2 1/2; place same by 12; show by 2. Scratched: They Delight, Resist.

AUGUST 29, 1956

The North American Steeplechase Handicap, abt. 2 ml., 4 & up. Purse: \$7,500 added. Net value to winner: \$6,025; 2nd: \$1,500; 3rd: \$750; 4th: \$375. Winner: blk. g., 10, by Teddy's Comet—Grand Flame, by Grand Time. Trainer: A. White. Breeder: Brookmeade Stable. Time: 4:16 1/3.

1. Flaming Comet, (Brookmeade Stable), 151, H. Hatcher.
  2. Odyssey, (Blue Run Farm), 132, A. Foot.
  3. Basilla, (Mrs. M. G. Walsh), 137, S. Riles.
- 6 started and 5 finished; also ran (order of finish): C. S. May's Billing Bear, 141, J. Murphy; G. H. Bostwick's Coveted, 146, F. D. Adams. Lost rider (10th) A. Stern's Glencannon, 147, M. Hoey. Won driving by 1; place same by head; Show same by 4. Scratched: \*Evian.

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# In the Country



## MONTPELIER HOUND SHOW

On Mrs. Marion duPont Scott's Montpelier estate the Virginia Foxhound Club held their annual Montpelier Hound Show. At this gathering of many fox-hunting notables the Orange County Hunt packed up the championship with Middleburg (for the first time) winning the trophy for the best pack of hounds. Among those enjoying the show were Lawrence Jones, President of the Bryn Mawr Hound Show, M. F. H. of Deep Run Major W. Murray Forbes Bayliss, M. F. H. of Orange County Charles G. Turner and Mrs. Turner, Miss Anna F. Hedrick of the Loudoun Hunt, James O. Pease, M. F. H. of the Fairfax Hunt, Mr. and Mrs. A. Mackay-Smith of Blue Ridge, Mr. and Mrs. Thomas Furness, Donald MacKenzie, Mr. and Mrs. Fletcher Harper and their guests, the Sherman P. Hights, Jr. Mr. Haight is M. F. H. of the Litchfield County Hounds. Others were Wilbur Hubbard, M. F. H. of Mr. Hubbard's Kent County Hounds, Joseph Jones, Clerk of the Masters of Foxhounds Association, Mr. and Mrs. Roland Mitchell, Mrs. Aldrich Dudley, Judge Richmond B. Keech and Mrs. Keech, Andrew Montgomery, W. J. Fletcher, John R. deBergh, William Wilbur, George Cole Scott, Claude W. Owen, Charles G. Turner, Jr., Matthew Mackay-Smith and Mrs. Stewart Treviranus.—M. T.

## NICK NICKOLLS

Nick Nickolls, who schooled and made many a good hunter for various owners in Northern Virginia during the past 20 years, always said he would die with hounds. Anyone who saw him ride across country behind the Piedmont or the Middleburg or the Orange County, taking the biggest fences he could find, on horses that were green or confirmed pullers or just hard to ride, could not but agree. But when the end came it was in quite a different setting. Next to foxhunting Nick loved to show hounds. He was always to be seen at every puppy show and every hound show within 200 miles, handling hounds for any pack that needed help and occasionally judging a puppy show as well. On Saturday, August 25th he was helping to show some of the Orange County pack at the

Tenth Annual Show of the Virginia Foxhound Club at Mrs. Marion duPont Scott's Montpelier estate.

Surrounded by the hounds he loved and by the great walnut trees which overshadow the ring, Nick's heart suddenly stopped beating.

## AFRICAN ADVENTURE

Mrs. Andrew Murray Williams and a party limited to fifteen members will travel in Africa on a tour sponsored by the House of Travel, Inc. The tour leaves New York on January 23 and ends on March 29. During this time some of nature's greatest spectacles including Victoria and Murchison Falls, Mt. Kilimanjaro and Lake Victoria, (source of the Nile) will be viewed and unending varieties of wild game will pass at close range.

## SECOND ANNUAL NEW ENGLAND TRAIL RIDE

The Second Annual New England Trail Ride, through the southwestern part of New Hampshire, has been recently completed by sixteen sturdy riders and their equally sturdy horses. The start of the 130 mile, week long, camping-riding trip, was at No. Charlestown, N. H.

Tent camps were made for night stops, while a jeepster contacted the riders at various shady and enjoyable spots for the noonday rest and lunch. A prairie schooner type chuck wagon carried duffle, food and horse fodder from camp to camp. The especially attractive and enjoyable route was scouted in the early Spring by William L. Hall of Rolling Meadows, in No. Charlestown. He was leader for the ride, and was ably assisted by Cathy Hall.

Those riding this year on this fine route were all from Connecticut; Mr. and Mrs. Alton S. Hastings, Burlington; Mr. and Mrs. James R. Parker, Hartford; Mrs. Carrie Stratman, East Canaan; Harold Stratman, New Milford; Wilbur Stratman, Winsted; Mrs. Martha S. Willard, Wethersfield; Mrs. Edith M. Henry, Norfolk; Beverly Bennett, West Cornwall; Lillian M. Judd, Waterbury; Myron E. Boardman, Granby; Dr. Samuel Climo, New Haven; and Jacob Podoloff of Bethany.

## MRS. VAN INGEN APPOINTED

The Pennsylvania College of Horticulture for Women has appointed to their faculty Mrs. Dick Van Ingen. During the coming college year she will teach two courses in horse husbandry and supervise the activities of the Riding Club.

## LIPSCOMB PURCHASES

The many friends of W. H. (Shorty) Lipscomb, who consigned many yearlings from his Raspberry Plain Farm near Leesburg over a period of years and who has not been active recently, were pleased to see him purchase two yearlings at the recent Saratoga Sales—Kentmere Farm's ch. colt by \*Beau Gem—Tedema, by \*Teddy, and Matt Williamson's bay colt by Rippey—Hollyhock, by Blue Larkspur.

## BEARD HEADS GRAYSON FOUNDATION

Clarkson Beard, manager of the Greentree Stud, in Lexington, Ky., was elected president and Lou Doherty, manager of the Stallion Station, also in Lexington, was named secretary-treasurer of the Grayson Foundation at its directors' meeting, August 18th at the Saratoga race course. The directors met following the annual meeting of members.

Beard succeeds William duPont Jr., of Delaware as president and Doherty succeeds Edward L. Kilroe of New York. The changes were made because of the increasing importance of the virus work at the University of Kentucky, which is located in Lexington. There were no changes in the board of directors, the former officers remaining on that board and the executive committee.

The meeting heard reports of progress from members of the Scientific Advisory Committee, most important of which was that of Dr. E. R. Doll, of Kentucky University, who reported the identification of four types of virus causing influenza and of the hope of developing, as a result, of this identification, new serums for prevention of



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Due to increased material and labor costs our prices for Riding Breeches, effective September 1st, will be as follows:

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## In The Country

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some types of coughing and colds which annually afflict horses in the sport of Thoroughbred racing.

### WESTCHESTER EXHIBIT

Mr. and Mrs. Sherman H. Raveson were among the many spectators at the Saratoga Sales this year. Mr. Raveson, an artist of note, was busily sketching most of the time. His next show of 22 paintings will be exhibited at the Westchester Country Club's annual horse show on Sept. 27-30. This is the first time that the Club has asked an artist to exhibit during their horse show.

### U. S. E. T. HORSES ARRIVE IN NEW YORK

The United States Equestrian Team's horses landed in New York aboard the Moore-McCormick Line's Parthia on Saturday, August 25, and were immediately sent to the Government Quarantine Station in Clifton, N. J. where they will stay for 2 days. After their departure

### BABY BYRD

Mr. and Mrs. Bradshaw Beverly Byrd are receiving congratulations on the birth of a daughter, Westwood Beverley at the Winchester Memorial Hospital. Mr. and Mrs. Byrd are both active members of the Blue Ridge Hunt.—M. T.

### OLD DOMINION HOUNDS

The following letter was published in a recent issue of "Horse and Hound": "I feel that your good article entitled "Hunting in Virginia" (July 14) is not quite complete without a mention of the Old Dominion Hunt, a private pack bordering the Rappahannock Hunt. The Masters are Col. Albert P. Hinckley and Mr. William Rochester.

"This is a small pack of hounds who hunt exceptionally well and never have a blank day! During the 2 1/2 years my husband and I were stationed in Washington, we were lent horses by the Masters every week for two seasons.

"The kindness we received was overwhelming. We had the greatest fun with this good pack, and brought home some very happy memories of a wonderful country. I may add that for many

and the remainder put into cold storage to eat on the return journey. All went well until they were within some twenty miles of Peterborough on the morning of the show, when the rear door of the hound van flew open unnoticed and the vehicle proceeded on its way, whilst its occupants were scattered all over the surrounding country side! When the loss was discovered it took a considerable time to round up the errant hounds and it was extremely creditable that all save one were retrieved by the commencement of the show. The final absence, a brood bitch, was recovered by the Junior Joint-Master's young bride near the spot where hounds were kennelled the previous night, and arrived in good time for her class. —D. M.

### APARTMENT HOTEL BUSINESS

W. Jay O'Brien, formerly of Bucks County, Pa. and Gulfstream, Fla. has entered the apartment hotel business in Fort Lauderdale. The hotel "Mariner" is located in the Riomar beach area.

### MOLLIE CULLUM RECOVERED

The many friends of Mollie Cullum were glad to welcome her at Saratoga. She had just returned from Arizona and fully recovered from her two months' illness.

### THE EQUESTRIAN CLASS

It was George Bernard Shaw who said: "English society is divided into two classes—the equestrian class and the neurotic class."

### RUSSIANS IN PINK

My colleague, John Smith-Maxwell, has been telling me about the turn-out in the Equestrian Olympic Games at Stockholm. Formality was, of course, the rule on all but the second day, when the speed and endurance phase permits some latitude.

I was particularly struck by his remarks about the Russians. They appeared immaculate in hunting costume with velvet caps. I cannot believe that they chose scarlet out of respect for Karl Marx. If anybody doubts the prestige of foxhunting, here is a convincing answer. (Reprinted from The Field)



Bernard M. Baruch and Mrs. Elizabeth (Arden) Graham. Mr. Baruch celebrated his 86th birthday at Saratoga on August 18th, when the fifth race was named the Happy Argo Handicap in honor of the great sprinter and successful sire which carried his Kershaw Stable silks to many notable victories in the late 1920's.

from the quarantine depot many of the horses will go up to Avon, N. Y. where they will train in the indoor ring in preparation for the Pa. National Horse Show at Harrisburg and the National Horse Show at Madison Square Garden.

### FATHER AGAINST SON

It was father riding against son during Delaware Park's 1956 meeting when Ralph and Reggie Root hooked up together in one race. Ralph, the father, has been a journeyman jockey for many years, while Reggie, his son, is one of the most promising apprentice riders seen on the Maryland-Delaware-New Jersey racing circuit since national champion Willie Hartack started riding in 1954.

years these kind people have been lending horses to members of the British Missions in Washington."

—Barbara Worthington

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